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## KING AND QUEEN WILL ARRIVE IN WASHINGTON IN MIDST OF SWELTERING HEAT WAVE

### Six Hundred Thousand Assembled At Station

WASHINGTON, June 8 (REUTER)—TWO GIGANTIC LOCOMOTIVES, MAINTAINED EXPRESS SPEED THROUGHOUT THE NIGHT IN ORDER TO BRING THE KING AND QUEEN TO WASHINGTON by 4 a.m. (GMT) where President and Mrs. Roosevelt and a crowd, estimated at 600,000, are awaiting Their Majesties at the station.

The Royal visitors will probably arrive in the midst of a sweltering heat wave.

### Two Colony Residents Honoured

PROF. K. H. DIGBY, CAPT. J. S. RODRIGUES

Only two Hongkong residents are mentioned in the King's Birthday Honours list. They are:—

PROF. KENELM HUTCHINSON DIGBY, M.B., B.S. (London), F.R.C.S. (England), L.R.C.P. (London), Surgeon, Hongkong Civil Hospital, to be an officer in the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (Civil Division), and

CAPT. JOSE SIMAO RODRIGUES, Second-in-Command of the Portuguese Companies of the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Force, to be a Member of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (Military Division).

Prof. K. H. Digby

Prof. Kenelm Hutchinson Digby was born in Ealing on August 4, 1884. He is a son of the late William Digby, C.I.E. He received his education in Quornmore, Kent, and Guy's Hospital, where he held the Michael Harris, Hilton and Beany Prizes and was House Surgeon and Resident Obstetric Attendant.

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### CHINESE RECAPTURE N. HOPEI TOWN

SIAM, June 8 (Central)—Military despatches claim the recapture of Yintow, important north Hopei town thirty miles north-west of Paoting, on the morning of June 5. The Chinese success was achieved after four hours' severe fighting with the Japanese.

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When the King and Queen arrived on American soil, Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, greeted them in the following words:

"On behalf of the Government and the people of the United States, I have the honour and pleasure of extending to you our warmest welcome. All are delighted at your visit and the people in my country in the most genuine spirit of cordiality, hospitality and friendliness, have every desire to make your stay a thoroughly enjoyable one."

According to the "New York Herald-Tribune," the King and Mr. Cordell Hull had a "serious talk" before boarding the train for Washington.

#### 13,000 POLICE

NEW YORK, June 8 (Reuter)—The biggest mobilization of police in the history of the United States ordered for the visit of Their Majesties here, effects some 13,000 officers, constables and detectives, of whom nearly 11,000 are specials.

Weather permitting, Their Majesties will enter New York aboard the crack destroyer Warrington, which is capable of 37 knots.

It is announced from Niagara Falls that the Queen will make a second broadcast before finally leaving Canada.

#### EVERY PRECAUTION

Every precaution has been taken for the Royal visit. Minesweepers will drag the lower New York Bay before Their Majesties cross in the destroyer from Hancock, New Jersey, to Manhattan on Saturday.

To-morrow two large coastguard cutters, and three small ones, will begin patrolling the waters near Fort Hancock and an anti-aircraft battery, complete with searchlight and sound locators, will be in position there while hundreds of troops will search the adjacent territory.

### UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPT TO RAISE THETIS

#### HAWSER, PARTS UNDER STRAIN

LONDON, June 8 (BWS)—The first attempt to raise the submarine Thetis in Liverpool Bay was unsuccessful this morning and a statement will probably be made on the progress of the salvage work in the Commons this afternoon.

It is reported that, partly owing to a heavy swell in the Bay, one of the hawsers parted under the strain. Orders were immediately sent for specially strong cables which, owing to the depth at which the Thetis lies, will have to be used.

As considerable time is being taken in placing these lines under the vessel it is recognized that some time must elapse before the Thetis is hoisted. Even under the most favourable conditions progress when the submarine is clear of the sea-bed must necessarily be slow.



His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, K. C. M. G., taking the salute at the March Past at the Garrison Review held in Happy Valley yesterday morning in honour of the official celebration of the birthday of His Majesty the King.

### MADAME CHIANG NOT IN COLONY

The "Hongkong Daily Press" is in a position to state authoritatively that a report which has been circulated locally to the effect that Madame Chiang Kai-shek had arrived in the Colony by plane from Chungking is absolutely untrue. Madame Chiang is still in Chungking aiding her husband in his war duties and carrying on her own multifarious war relief activities.

### CHINESE ON CANTON OUTSKIRTS

#### GENDARMERIE HQRS. ATTACKED

CHUNGKING, June 8 (Reuter)—A Chinese despatch from Yiehing claims that the Chinese troops on the night of May 24 raided the northern outskirts of Canton, attacking the Japanese Gendarmerie Headquarters in Shuangtsing Street.

Another detachment, it is claimed, reached Sihua Road and killed a Chinese named Tseng Min said to be the Assistant Chief of the Detective Section of the Peace Maintenance Commission.

The Chinese troops, it is stated, were withdrawn at dawn.

#### Air Raid Threat

A later message from Chungking states that bad weather conditions and poor visibility prevented a Japanese attempt to raid Chungking on the evening of June 7, but that the squadron, on its way back to the base at Hankow, bombed Wansien, the treaty port on the Yangtze, below Chungking. Chinese pursuit planes, after the alarm was given at 6 p.m., went up, cruising above the city ready to challenge the raiders, which, after bombing Wansien, returned down the river.

### PLANE CRASH IN AMSTERDAM

A training plane crashed when flying over a military camp in Amsterdam owing to an engine defect. The plane, struck a tent which was occupied by eight persons, one of whom was killed instantaneously, six others being gravely wounded. Prince Bernhard of the Netherlands, who was just passing the camp in a motor car rushed to the scene of the accident and supervised first aid treatment for the victims. The four occupants of the plane escaped unhurt. (T.O.)

### HECTIC CONDITIONS IN SHAI STOCK EXCHANGE

#### Monday's Cash Settlement Will Be Heaviest Recorded

SHANGHAI, June 8 (Reuter)—Conditions even more hectic than those witnessed on Wednesday were experienced in the stock market to-day. The turnover reached enormous proportions and Monday's cash settlement will be the heaviest ever recorded since the abolition of forward business. It is again difficult to select special stocks for mention but it is quite safe to say the majority of stocks rose from 5 to 10 per cent, though profit taking finally resulted in most of the gains being reduced by half.

It is interesting to note how to-day's purchases of stocks and shares have become the favourite method adopted for the protection of capital and that the public shows less inclination to purchase foreign exchange.

The impression is strong that \$35 for £1 or \$3 for U.S.£1 is not the best or the cheapest form of capital protection and that the purchases of rubber shares, or leading industrial counters, will provide both the profit and insurance premium.

While a superficial impression indicates that some shares may have advanced too rapidly a careful study shows that in the case of good rubber companies (large units with cheap costs) the rise in their values by no means kept pace with the depreciation in currency and there is much leeway that should be made up.

The outstanding movements to-day were in Ewos, Intascos, Trams and Kailings while in rubbers, Anglo-Javas, Kroweoks, Swan shares and Rubber Trusts appreciated sharply.

As a result of very heavy business done for delivery on Monday next and in order to cope with settlements, the Committee of the Stock Exchange, as an exceptional measure, has decided to open the market on Monday next for transaction of business at 2.30 p.m. instead of 9.30 a.m.

#### CONSIDERABLE INDIGNATION

SHANGHAI, June 8 (Reuter)—Considerable indignation was expressed by a number of foreign bankers, traders and brokers concerning the dollar's Stabilization Fund's action yesterday.

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#### THE DOLLAR

T.T. ON LONDON: Is. 2. 25. 324.  
T.T. ON NEW YORK: 28 12/16.  
From Our Own Correspondent  
London, June 8  
London silver prices to-day were unchanged as follows:  
June 7 June 8  
19-15/16 19-15/16  
Forward 19-3/4 19-3/4

### SENSATION IN WEST POINT

#### Dance Hostesses Go On Strike

A minor sensation, and a major inconvenience to pleasure-seekers, was caused in the West Point amusement quarter last night when the dance hostesses employed by the Capital (Kam Ling) cabaret walked out on strike, leaving behind only the band and such of the patrons who had brought their partners with them.

Officials of the place, which is owned by a Chinese combine, were reticent when approached on the matter, but it was learned from reliable quarters that the girls had walked out as a protest against the alleged dismissal by the owners of Mr. "Chico" Remedios, described as the licensee of the ballroom.

#### EXTREME STEP

It was stated that Mr. Remedios had been dismissed on Wednesday night and that the girls, with whom he was very popular, had made representations to the management following an "indignation" meeting. As nothing was promised, they had decided to take the extreme step of walking out in sympathy.

At first the majority had left the place, leaving behind a few stragglers, but these later joined in the movement, and by 10.30 p.m. the cabaret presented a unique sight, particularly as yesterday was a holiday.

## FLOW OF MEDICAL SUPPLIES INTO INTERIOR OF CHINA CONTINUES UNHINDERED

### Despite Difficulties Of Transportation

CHUNGKING, June 8 (Central)—The flow of medical and relief supplies into the interior is continuing satisfactorily despite transportation difficulties, according to Dr. C. Y. Wu, technical expert of the National Health Administration stationed in Hongkong.

Dr. Wu is visiting Chungking to consult with Dr. F. C. Yen, Director of the Administration, on various transportation problems.

Despite disruption of communications in the south, after the fall of Canton in October last year, between 3,000 and 4,000 cases of Red Cross supplies were sent to the interior in the past six months, Dr. Wu reported.

Among the valuable items were about ten tons of quinine donated, for the most part, by the overseas Chinese in the Netherlands East Indies and by organizations and individuals in America and Europe.

A total of nearly 15,000 cases of all kinds of Red Cross supplies, estimated to be worth \$3,000,000, have been sent to the interior since Dr. Wu was sent to Hongkong in October, 1937, to supervise for the Red Cross the transshipment to the interior of medical and relief supplies donated by individuals and societies abroad.

By various routes, sea, air and land, and by truck, rail, junk and plane, these supplies were sent first to Hankow, and later, when the Yangtze port fell to Changsha, still later when Canton fell, the supplies were re-routed through Kwangsi and Kweichow provinces. Dr. Wu has also received and transferred to the interior \$3,000,000 in cash donated to the Red Cross by friends abroad.

Throughout Dr. Wu has been co-operating closely with Dr. Robert K. S. Lim who was appointed director of the Medical Relief Commission of the Chinese Red Cross Society in December, 1937.

#### FIELD ORGANIZATION

The bulk of the monetary donations also went to the support of Dr. Lim's field organization, the budget of which is approximately \$250,000 a month. It

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## Well-Known Ships Will Not Be Stopped By Japanese

TOKYO, June 8 (Reuter)—Well-known liners in future will be exempted from being stopped and examined by Japanese warships an Admiralty spokesman stated to-day.

He added that there was no change in the policy of the Japanese Navy which was to respect the peaceful commerce of third Powers, but he referred to the "dire necessity" for Japanese warships to stop and visit foreign vessels of China in order to ascertain their nationality on account of the increase of smuggling under foreign flags.

### CHINA WAR NEWS:

## LULL IN CENTRAL HUPEH & NORTH KIANGSI FRONTS: ADVANCE IN WEST SHANSI

CHUNGKING, June 8 (CENTRAL)—COMPARATIVE QUIET PREVAILS ON THE CENTRAL HUPEH AND NORTH KIANGSI FRONTS, REPORTS RECEIVED HERE INDICATE.

In Central Hupeh, the Japanese troops at Tsiengkang, on the Han River and Yokow, across the River, are busily constructing defences and repairing highways. Those at Kingshan, north-west of Hankow, and Tienmen, South of Kingshan, are reported to have been partially withdrawn. They departed in several directions, one column moving to Hsiakaoan, north-west of Hankow on the Peiping-Hankow Railway.

Skirmishes took place the day before yesterday to the south-east of Tungcheng, in South Hupeh.

There has been practically no change in North Kiangsi. Artillery duels have occurred at Wuning, north-west of Nanchang, and Fushiangkwan, north-east of Kaosan.

#### In North Hunan

MILO, HUNAN, June 8 (Central)—Chinese forces scored another victory over the Japanese on the north bank of the Singiang River in north Hunan yesterday.

After "mopping up" the Japanese south of Tallahan, the Chinese advanced northward in two columns. One column pushed toward Tallahan while the other flanked the Japanese at Tayunshan and Chungkiang. Both of the latter places were recaptured. Japanese losses included forty men killed and 57 rifles and five machine-guns captured by the Chinese.

## There Will Be No War

GENEVA, June 8 (T/Ocean)—The firm conviction that there will be no war was expressed by the Swiss statesman, M. Edmond Schulthess, in an address at the opening session of the International Labour Conference here to-day which elected M. Schulthess as its President.

Mr. Schulthess pointed out that his conviction that war will be avoided was based on the fact that responsible statesmen of all Powers have repeatedly expressed their determination to do everything in their power for the preservation of peace.







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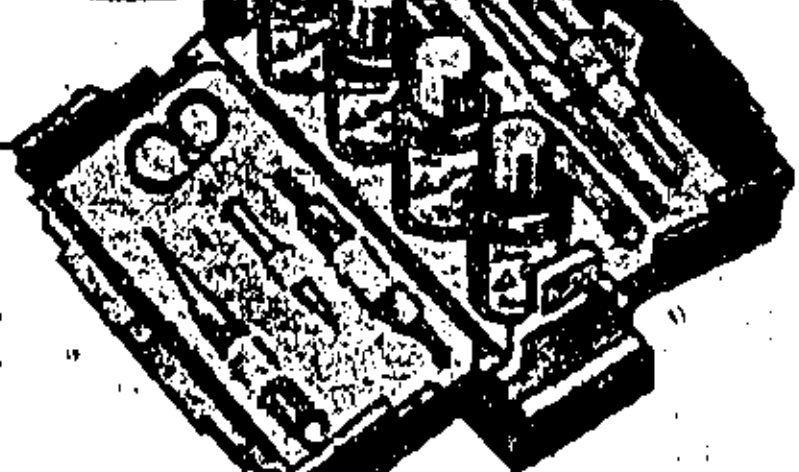
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## CONFIDE IN FAITH PRIOR

TRAVELLER IS ABOUT to take a Freight Trip to the United States with her husband. She wishes to know what type of clothing is worn, who to tip and how much?

WHEN TRAVELLING by a freight line clothes are not important. Linen dresses, slacks or play suits can be lived in all day aboard ship, in the evening an informal silk dress, blouse and skirt or the like is proper. You will take your meals in a small dining room with the Captain and several other officers.

Tipping for two people: \$3.50 (gold) each to the dining-room and bedroom stewards at the end of the voyage is adequate if you do not demand too much attention; \$2.50-gold-is ample for a single passenger. There will be no stewardess on board.

### HARD PROBLEM

PRIVACY WRITES of a difficult problem. She is practically confined to her home through illness, and living with her is a semi-companion who never leaves her alone. When friends visit the invalid the companion never leaves the room and conversation frequently becomes strained. What can the lady do she does not wish to ask the other to leave?

IT IS QUITE embarrassing. Even relatives will show more sensitive consideration. It looks however, as if you will have to be frank. With a pleasant smile, why not say, "We would like to be alone for a little while. And will you please close the door when you leave."

### HARD-WORKING

HARD-WORKING MALE complains of women in business and especially married women. He contends the home is "going to the dogs" and that the woman's place is in the home!

OF COURSE, PERHAPS it was a mistake in the first place to allow women to be educated, and then to allow them to understand and practise democracy! On the other hand, the sex is required to leave off clinging, take on jobs galore in pretty well every phase of business and professional life when the men are away at war, when, of course, they are delighted to discover how many jobs they can fill, even unto helping make munitions.

Also they soon acquire the delights of receiving pay checks, and one dashed thing leads to another. Look what the Civil War did for Scarlett in "Gone With The Wind." It changed her from a frigid, frozen siren to a hard-headed-business woman! Such masculine blunders will be hard to correct—and I hope you are not admitting that women are high enough in the business world to offer you competition!

### MONEY'S WORTH

MONEY TRIALS, the wife reports that she and her husband do not seem to be getting their money's worth out of the monthly income. They just escape debt, are not able to save and have little to show at the end of the year for the money spent. What is wrong?

IT IS ABOUT time this husband and wife get down to a monthly budget. You can almost make a game out of it and within six months you will see an improvement. Keep books. A simple test for spending is to see whether it provides for the "musts" of life.

What you two want most, such as a home of your own, health, including medical care, proper food, security against unemployment. Even a modest income yields these "musts" when other items are properly budgeted.

How much should clothes cost? Take periodic inventory, seeing what can be revived with new accessories, repairs, clever alterations. The grocery bill stays down where you do your own buying and set aside a definite sum for each day's supplies, buy fruits and vegetables in season. Months when expenses are smaller than usual don't splurge with all that's left over. Save for months with heavy expenses. You must budget, to get the most for your money and stay out of debt.

### BORED WITH JOB

WHAT'S THE USE? Is a feminine 33 years in age. During the past six years she has supported herself and two children belonging to her sister whose husband deserted the family. Now, the family is running smoothly financially and the writer has her income for her own. However, she does not know what to do with it, is bored with her job, herself and life generally.

FIRST OF ALL take yourself in to the most exclusive dress shop in town and "go wild", so to speak. Buy new frocks, and from the skin to the hat invest in a new wardrobe. Then into the beauty shop you go, arrange your coiffure differently, have a lesson or two on make-up. And then, what about a vacation, maybe travelling part of the way by air? Continue to do your work well, but when you leave the office, leave it there, too.

Try and become interested in people outside your office, flirt a little, and be gay. Remember to be charming to every male you meet for they can be used as stepping stones to others, it's the price of popularity. Go out and make your own good times, you will find plenty interesting people to help you. Stop being silly!

## FRIDAY'S MENU

### BREAKFAST

Cereal  
Sliced Oranges & Bananas  
Buckwheat Cakes  
Marmalade  
Coffee

### LUNCHEON

Tomato Juice Cocktail  
Artichoke Salad  
Creamed Duck Breast  
Potato Pancakes  
Lima Beans  
Corn on the Cob  
Prune Whip  
Iced Tea

### DINNER

Barley Soup  
Grilled Salad  
Fried Fish  
Lemon Sauce  
Mashed Potatoes  
Green Peas  
Tomato Rings  
Strawberry Shortcake  
Coffee

## RINGS ON FINGERS

The woman with a square, short-fingered hand should never wear precious stones set in a row or held in a broad band of platinum or gold, according to ring experts.

A ring specially designed for the short-fingered hand consists of a circle of fine gold with a huge cabochon emerald set vertically across the hoop and slightly raised from the finger by a cluster of tiny baguette diamonds.

Dainty Design. Raised designs are always flattering to the plump, or "strong" hand. A charming example consists of several small emerald-cut sapphires in an anemone pattern, set half an inch from the finger in a heavy crystal band to enhance the effect of daintiness.

For the unusually long and narrow hand, broad eternity rings with baguette diamonds and other precious stones placed horizontally along the hoop are specially suitable. So also are rings adorned with one single square-cut stone, around which are massed precious stone chips.

### CENTRAL MOTIF

Carved gold rings, the central motif engraved with various designs, such as a fox's mask or the head of Tutankhamen, are popular at the moment. And a large black pearl mounted in old gold, and surrounded by several smaller pearls in baroque design is yet another attractive style for the long, slender finger.

## BEING CAUTIOUS

DEAR FAITH PRIOR: I am a widow 33 years of age with two children. The income provided for me and my family by my husband is plenty to take care of us and the children's education. However, I need other interests besides the children. There are three men whom I am interested in and consider marrying, but I do not want to make a mistake and ask your advice. One man has children of his own, he is grand, in fact best of all. But what a terrifying job to try to harmonise our two families.

Another man has never married and I shudder to think of breaking him into home life. Yet, he might make a marvelous husband, and the third chap is delightful but financially irresponsible. I'm afraid he may have an eye on my home, the car I drive, etc. I love my children, but they do not fill my life, and I am pretty much in love with the first man if I married him? CAUTIOUS.

DEAR CAUTIOUS: I admit that it would not be easy to work out a harmonious family with two sets of children, and certainly not worth the trying unless motivated by a deep and inspiring love and a steady resolute purpose to do the job well. Many a happy family life is worked out under such conditions while many others fail. If you should marry this first man you would both have to take time off from your initial engrossment with each other to establish confidence with the children, confidence with each other and with their new parents.

The other men you mention do not figure seriously because obviously you are not even a little in love with either of them. A first marriage does not always give you wisdom to handle a second one successfully, but it should at least

## KING COTTON RULES THE SEASON

SUDDENLY ALL THE WOMEN AND STYLISTS in the fashion centres have realized anew the fresh charms of cotton. It is cool; neat; comfortable; it is chic when it is cut in the latest lines; it is the last word in style right now from the Atlantic to the Atlantic. And for the most part, it is easy on the pocket-book!

Maybe "King Cotton" was put on the throne by the influence of the styles in 1880 and 1900's when cotton was a favourite in every type of fabric from calico and gingham to printed and embroidered lawns and muslins.

Summer's new calico dresses with their simple round necklines, their full skirts and fitted waists, too, the white muslin dresses which have coloured ribbons woven into the lace insertions in an intricate pattern are "tops" of fashion.

"PLAY-TOGS" All the "play-togs" this year are fashioned from cotton. Bright striped wide-wale cotton pique skirts or the white muslin blouse with percale circular skirts in wild colours of the present popular shades flash with chic smartness. The new printed "play-suits" of one piece with buttons down the front have shirred elasticized waistband. If you've never worn this fashion you haven't lived.

Not even "prohibitive cost" stands in the way of every girl looking as "smart" as possible during leisure hours. Playclothes are colourful, distinctive and moderately priced. Slacks, drindis, sun-suits, bathing suits, short tennis frocks there are colours and materials in these styles to suit the individual personality.

## THE WAY YOU WANT TO LOOK!

If you want your appearance to challenge interest, make your personality a "show window," and dress your face and figure up to it.

Now, for instance, a pair of identical twins, adapting make-up, hair-do and ensemble to each girl's personality, is a concrete example which should prove helpful to you.

Say the models are five feet, five inches tall, slender, flat chested, square shouldered and slim hiped. They had long, thin faces, square jaws, and indefinite colouring, slightly on the sallow side.

Yet, one may be a chic sophisticate, the other an appealing ingenuite.

If you are the dynamic type, aggressive, sophisticated and self-reliant, you will want to take a hint from the one whose grooming was dramatic. Her make-up was definite, and daring—a "Joan Crawford mouth," penciled brows, built-up eyelashes. Eyeshadow, applied to the outer corners of her lids, gave wider spacing to and brought out the colour of her eyes.



An experiment with identical twins.

### PATIO DRESS

For evening you can't miss with a shirred cotton dancing costume called a patio dress, this type dress with full skirt, fitted waist, and low neck with puffed sleeves gives its wearer a divine figure. The pastel searsucker orandy and the cotton laces are charming when tailored into simple billowy dancing frocks.

Coloured nets are used in evening attire, the dash of the costume is provided by the cotton trimming at the skirt hem, neck and armholes. Under the net frock a rustling taffeta slip is worn contrasting or matching in shade.

Orandy, pique, percale, cotton matless, muslin, linen are all used in the summer party dresses, but the dash and vim of individuality is created by colours singly or combined.

### ACCESSORIES IN LINE

Not only is cotton having the "say" in the costume section of your summer wardrobe, but accessories are, falling into line. Linen shoes, bags, gloves and hats in natural or colour are being used from morning till night.

Pique, sacking, percales and duck or canvas, are fabrics found in the large handbags, big and small hats and bandanas. Besides belts, scarfs and accessory trim of collars and cuffs.

Cottons washes, holds its colour, shrinks only once, iron beautifully, some is non-ironable, tailors well and saves you ladies many pennies!

teach you to stay out of a marriage where the ups do not over-balance the downs.

(Each week in this column FAITH PRIOR answers questions of a personal nature submitted by readers of the "Daily Press")

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And it is a "clinch" if you have really been doing any shopping you will not sing the song, "I Haven't Anything to Wear!" Our local shops have bargain values.

### A Hat! A Dress!

Really, no frock is complete without its chapeau! You did not go to the Garden Party at Government House, yesterday in a smart costume, complete, but wearing no hat, of course not! The costume is the hat, the dress, the hose, the shoes and the accessories are the frosting.

And so you will find this great convenience in MAYOS, the house of unusual, daring, and exclusive hat styles contrasting or blending with their morning or afternoon costumes, as the case may be.

Doll hats, big hats, little hats, or maybe just a "puft" of a hat, any type you desire can be found here whether ready-made or to your special order.

Or maybe it is a dress problem—morning frocks in searsucker, voile, linen, acetate, spun sacking, percale each expressing a different personality. And the afternoon dresses, Navy net with white pique collar and cuff trim, sharkskin, crepe, spun linen, chiffon, in this selection, too, you find no two alike, each creation fashion right and colour bright!

### Legs Are Legs

And there is nothing 97 women out of 100 can do about it. You can't get a new pair, but at least you can give them a little care and treatment.

Gloves well fitted in restful colours made of sharkskin or linen. Playfrocks in printed or striped cottons, two and three pieces, silk jersey, knit blouses with short, contrasting colours and actually cool, or the drindis with short full skirts, low square necks and big puffy sleeves in a light-weight colourful fabric.

Experiment with make-up to increase the drawing power of your face, and remember that you can apply it artfully and still look made-up. Substitute livelier colours for your conservative navy blue, gray or black tailored suits or dresses, or give them personality "punctuations" with bright accessories.

High-style bags and gloves and hats with a bit of dash can, in themselves, convert conventional "livery" into smart ensembles.

Do the majority of Hongkong women ever stop and take an honest look at their pedal extremities? If you insist going without hose, well, don't forget the blotches, the unsightly fuss of hair and the battle scars from encounters with chairs, door, tables etc.

Be that as it may it also goes for the woman who knows what smartness really looks like and stands for. Hose hide many sins, the crepe stocking tends to slim the leg, beautify its contours and gives an even colour line from your head to your toes.

LANE, CRAWFORD have lately added the "Morley" stocking to their hosiery stock. This particular brand in use in Singapore for several seasons is "sworn-by" with the feminine residents. The colour offer a good range from the taupe to "twany" shades "Taffa-Freckle-Tim and Sun Beam" are a few.

Another hosiery item is the "Cortice" evening stocking with lace heel and toe for sandals.

And while on the subject the tennis socks in white and colours, at \$1.50, of ribbed lisle, are luxurious necessities.

### Nonchalant Playing

The easiest occupation in the world is that of relaxation, leisure play and idleness. But do you confine it to behind the scenes?

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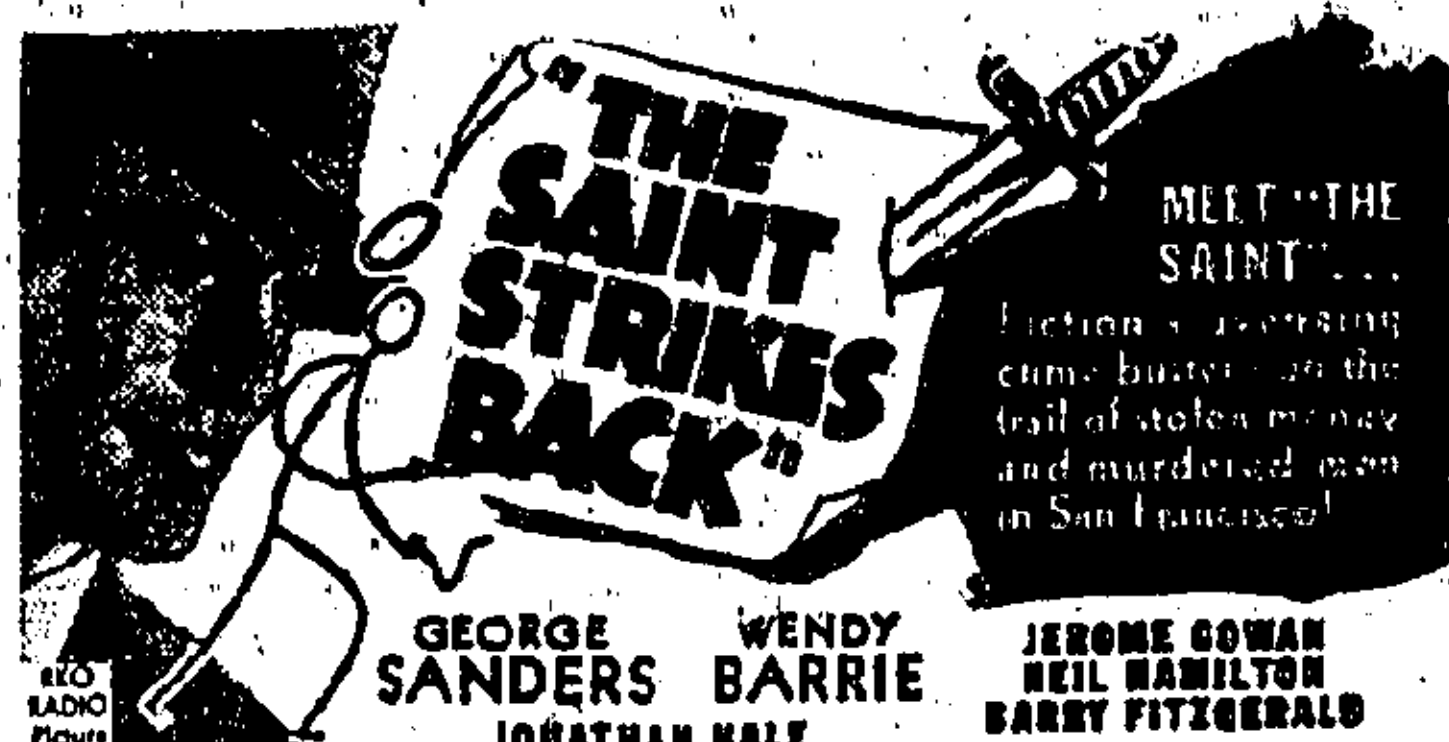
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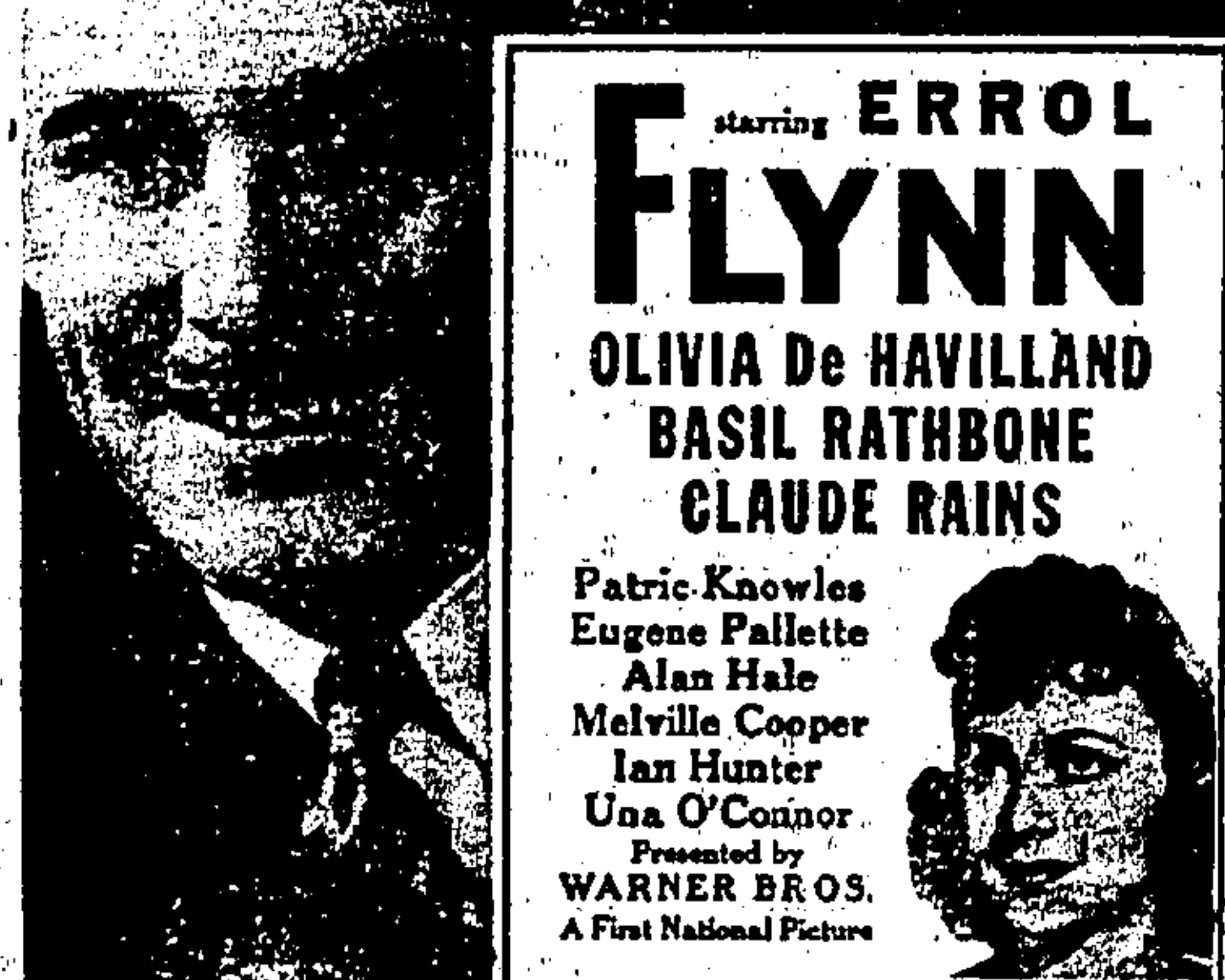
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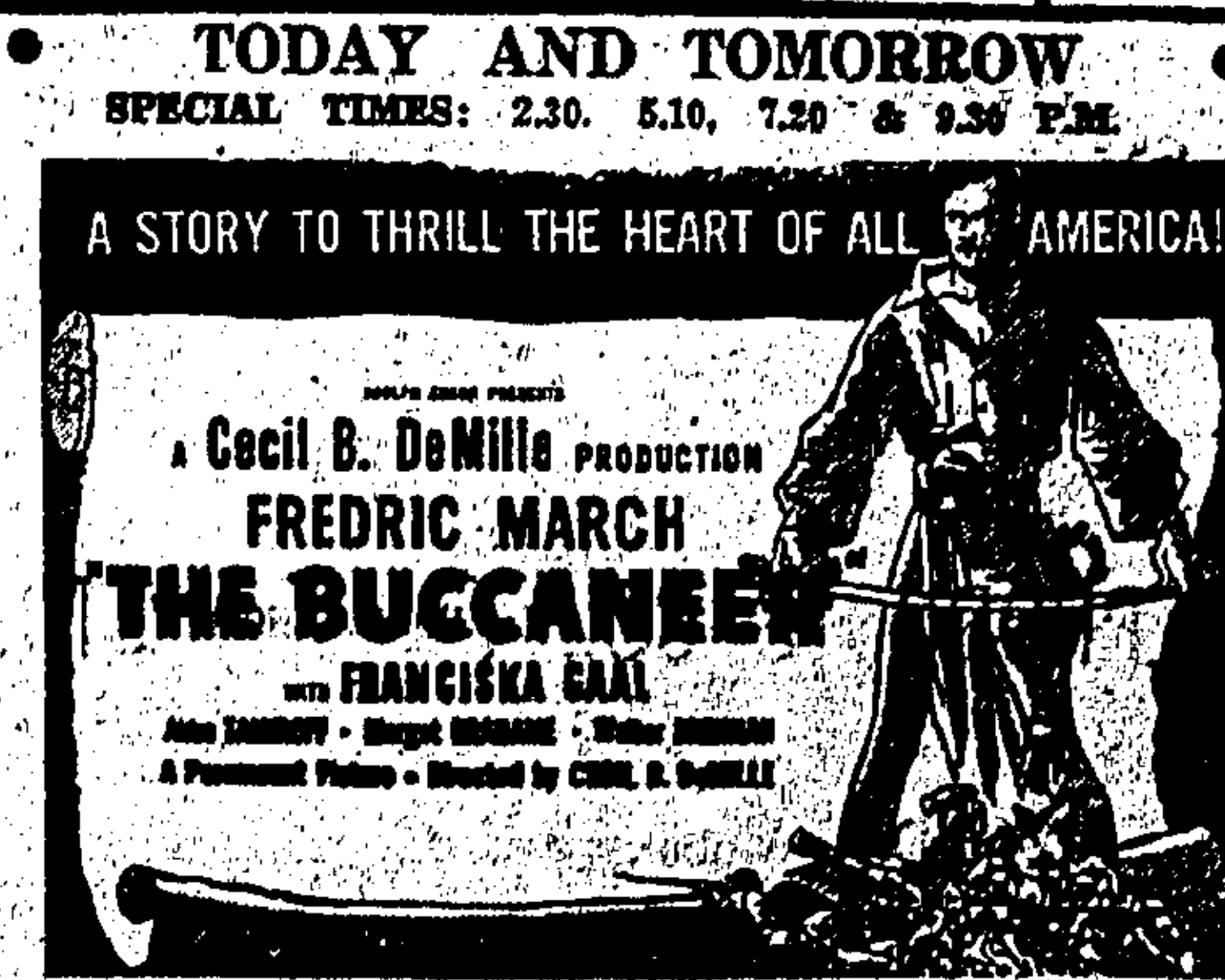
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## Today's Screenings

### Hongkong

KING'S: "Secrets Of An Actress"  
QUEEN'S: "Saint Strikes Back"  
ORIENTAL: "The Adventures Of Robin Hood"  
CATHAY: "Three Comrades"

### Kowloon

ALHAMBRA: "The Frontiersman"  
STAR: "The Buccaneer"  
MAJESTIC: "Give Me A Sailor"

### Coming

KING'S: "Just Around The Corner"  
QUEEN'S: "Midnight"  
ORIENTAL: "Never Say Die"  
CATHAY: "Paradise For Two"  
ALHAMBRA: "Maytime"  
STAR: "Soviet Border"  
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ALHAMBRA: "Midnight"  
STAR: "Double Wedding"  
MAJESTIC: "The Girl Of The Golden West"

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## "THE ADVENTURES OF ROBIN HOOD"

The biggest picture in screen history. "The Adventures of Robin Hood" will be screened at the Oriental Theatre to-day and on Saturday, Sunday and Monday, starring Errol Flynn and Olivia de Havilland.  
Errol Flynn, a veritable reincarnation of the legendary Robin, plays the title role. Handsome, young and adventurous, Flynn makes the perfect Robin Hood. Sharing honours with him is the demurely lovely Olivia de Havilland (who was his heroine in "Captain Blood" and "The Charge of the Light Brigade") who portrays his lady-love, Maid Marian. And they prove that medieval romance was even more thrilling than the modern variety.  
The picture has a well-known supporting cast including Basil Rathbone, Claude Rains, Patric Knowles, Eugene Pallette, Alan Hale, Melville Cooper, Ian Hunter and Una O'Connor and many others.

Sidney Blackmer, currently featured in Paramount's "Me and My Gal," has been prominently cast in nearly 100 Broadway productions. Blackmer now gives his entire time to film.

## "The Women": Successful New York Play For Screen

One of the most successful plays produced on the New York stage for a very long while is "The Women," which has been running for two years, and has now made an exciting debut in one of the West End London theatres.

The cast consists entirely of women, some 40 in number, and the theme is the ruthless inhumanity of woman dealing with each other, and with each other's menfolk.

Naturally enough, this play will be screened, and the preliminary steps have been taken for studio treatment.

### Distinguished Cast

The cast will be a very distinguished one and will include Ina Claire, Norma Shearer, Joan Crawford and Rosalind Russell. One cannot quite imagine what place Norma Shearer will find in this collection of "scratch cats."

But there is one among them more sinned against than sinning

and probably her part will fall to the lot of Miss Shearer.

The author in a preface to her play explained that she is not attacking women as a whole, but only a certain set in New York.

### Box Office Guarantee

When the film is made, and if it be made without any concession to sentiment or sympathy, it will be interesting to discover whether the reactions of the typical cinema audience will be the same as that of the theatre.

Will millions flock to see a number of graceless women tearing each other's characters and even faces into pieces?

Probably the constellation of feminine stars will be enough to guarantee box office response.

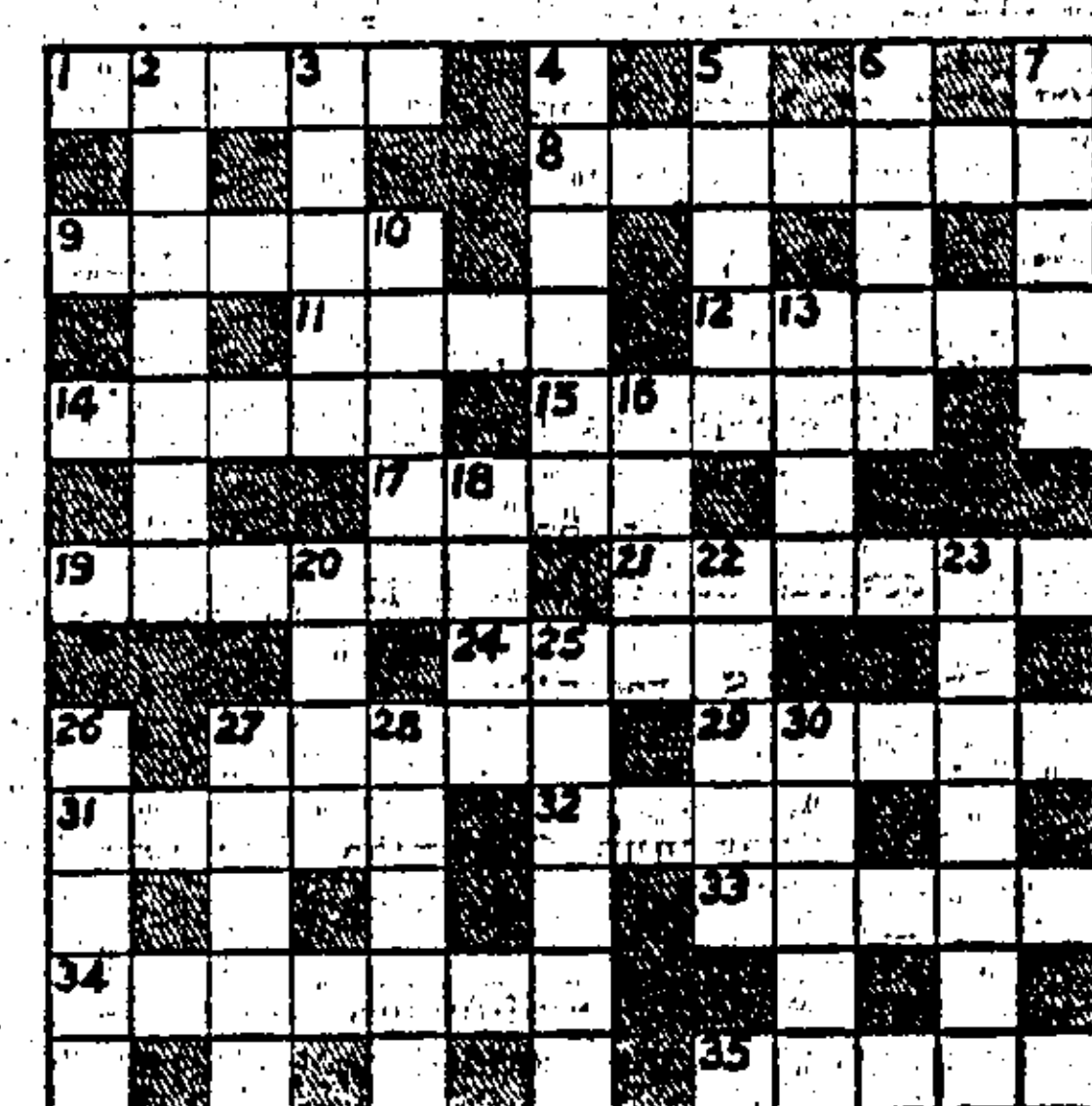
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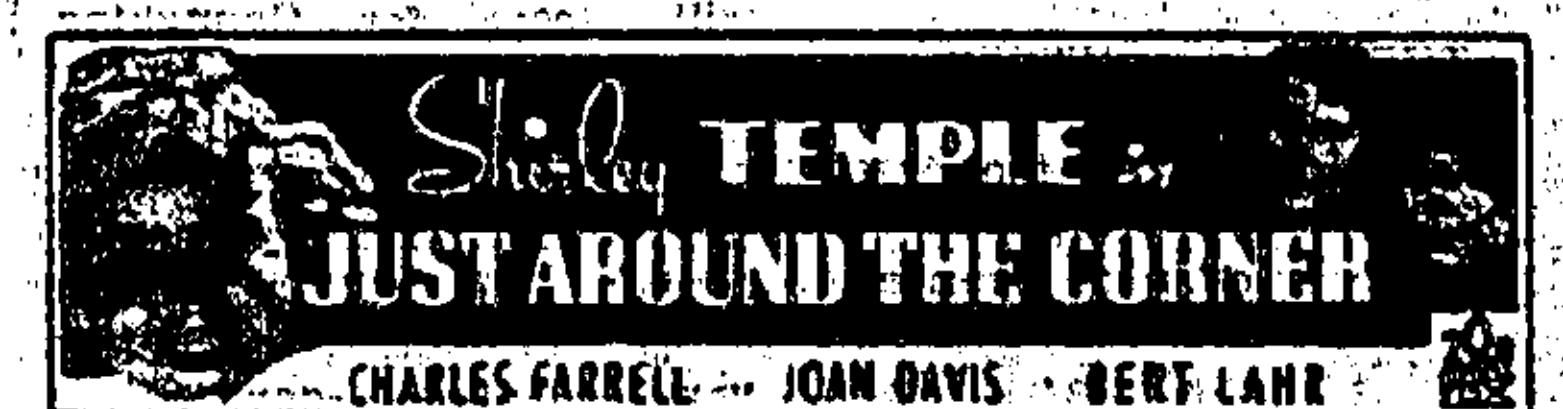
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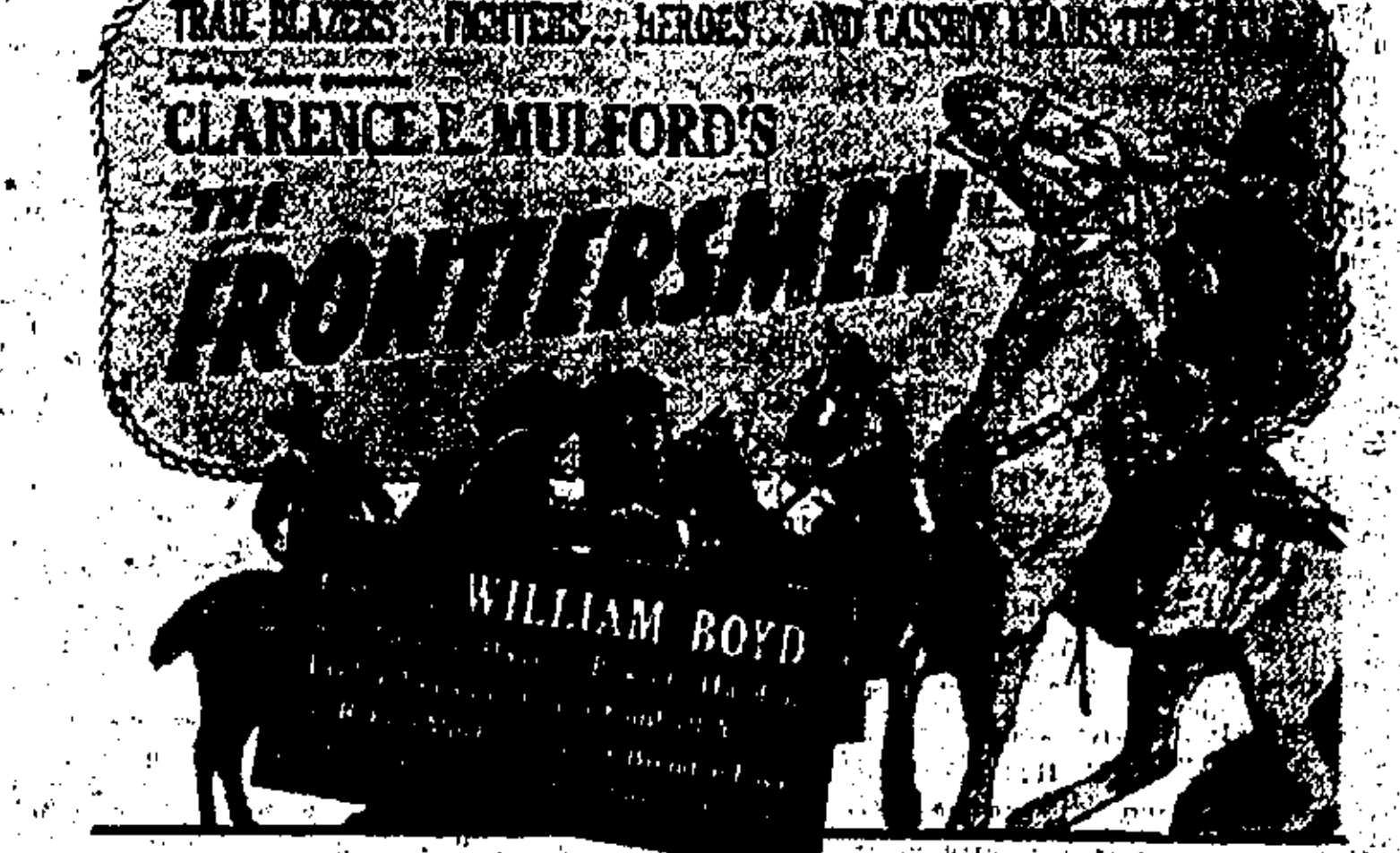


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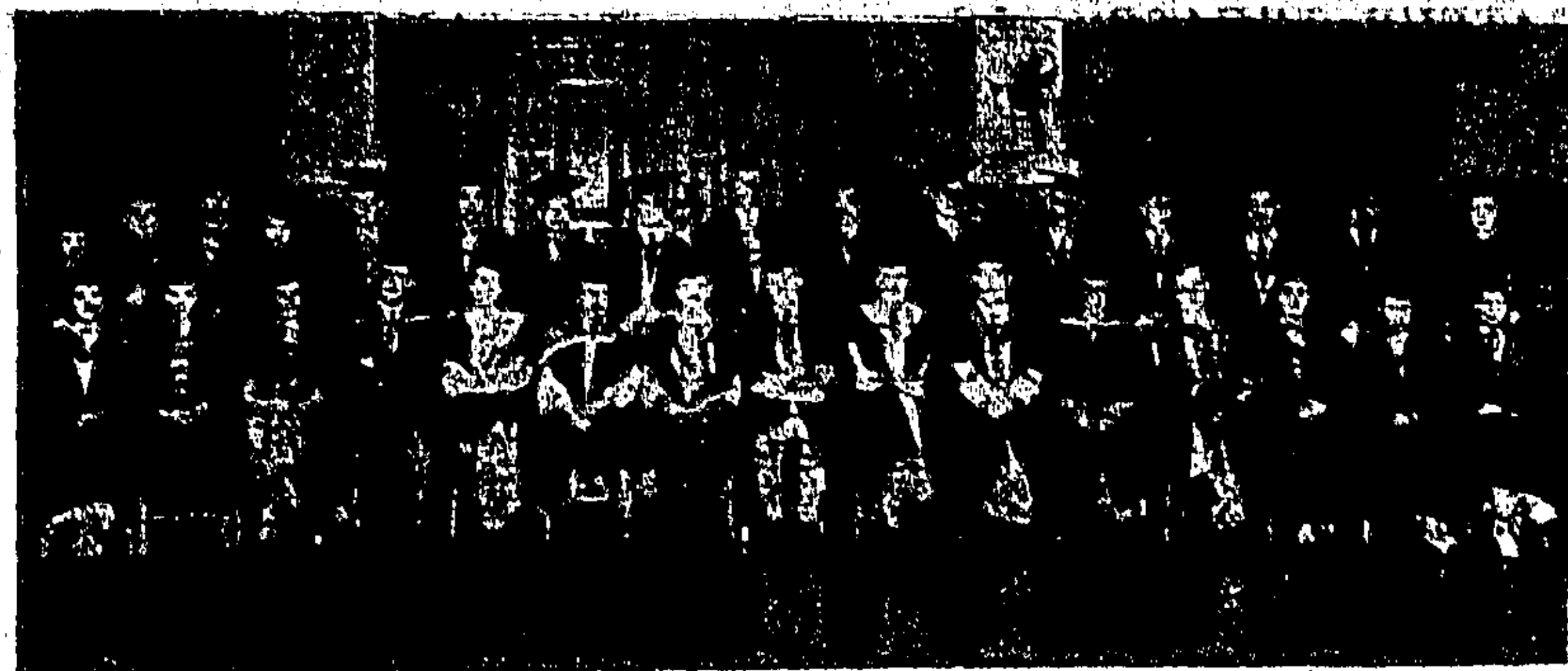
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Arts graduates of the University of Hongkong who recently had degrees conferred on them by His Excellency the Chancellor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, in the Great Hall. Seated sixth from left is Prof. Hsu Ti-shan and on his immediate left are Prof. W. Brown and Prof. L. Forster. (Photo, A. Fong.)

## HONGKONG CELEBRATES KING'S BIRTHDAY

### Massed Bands Play At Review Of Garrison By H.E. The Governor

Hongkong celebrations in honour of the Birthday of His Majesty George VI began early yesterday morning with a grand review of the Forces at Happy Valley, at which His Excellency the Governor and Commander-in-Chief, Sir Geoffrey Northcote, took the Salute.

Despite occasional heavy showers of rain, the Parade proved to be one of the most brilliant that the Colony has ever witnessed. The Jockey Club stands, as well as all vantage points around the Valley, were filled with spectators, there being a large number of school-children present.

#### H.E.'s Arrival

His Excellency the Governor, attended by Captain S. H. Batty-Smith, A.D.C. arrived at Happy Valley punctually at 8 a.m., escorted by a Motor-Cycle Detachment of the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps.

As His Excellency alighted from his car at the saluting base, the Union Jack was broken at the masthead, while the Parade was called to attention and the Royal Salute given.

His Excellency then inspected the Parade, which had been drawn up under the command of His Excellency the General Officer Commanding, Major-General A. E. Grasett.

After this, the Governor returned to the platform, where he was joined by Commodore A. M. Peters, Group Captain H. M. K. Brown,

Commander J. Petrie, Lieut.-Col. H. B. Rose and Staff Officers. After he had led the March Past, Major-General Grasett also took his place at the platform.

#### March Past

The Massed Bands under Bandmaster H. Jordan struck up as the various units moved into position and, with the smartness and dignity as always characterize His Majesty's Forces, marched past the Saluting Base.

The following units took part, in order:—Royal Navy, Hongkong Naval Volunteer Force, 8th Heavy Regiment, R.A., 5th A.A. Regiment, R.A., Hongkong Regiment, Hongkong S.R.A. (mounted batteries), Hongkong Regiment, H.K.S.R.A. (medium batteries), Fortress Royal Engineers, the Royal Scots, the Middlesex Regiment, the Rajputana Rifles, the Kumaon Rifles, Hongkong Mule Corps, Royal Air Force and the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps.

After the March Past, the Parade again took up the previous positions. His Excellency the Governor then descended from the Saluting Base, while Major-General Grasett remounted and resumed command.

#### Cheers For H.M.

With the Governor and party facing the flagstaff and while the Parade presented arms, the Union Jack was lowered and the Royal Standard was broken, followed by the Royal Salute.

The Parade then advanced in review order and the Royal Salute was again given. Headaddresses were then removed and three lusty cheers were called for His Majesty. The Royal Salute was then again given as the Royal Standard was lowered.

The ceremonies were terminated by the departure of His Excellency the Governor, who was accorded the Royal Salute as he was about to step into his car.

#### New Order

A distinguishing feature of the Parade was the new order of marching by forming three instead of four, which was put into effect by the Royal Scots and the Middlesex Regiment.

Included amongst the spectators was a large number of American naval officers and sailors, who arrived in two big buses and were accorded accommodation in the reserved enclosure. It is a coincidence that His Majesty the King was yesterday welcomed to their capital.

## INTERNATIONAL BODY'S HOMAGE TO GEN. CHIANG

CHUNGKING, June 7 (Central)—The International Conference for the Defence of Democracy and Rights of Man held recently in Paris under the auspices of Professor Lounsbury, celebrated "French scientist, and Sir Norman Angel, well-known English writer, has sent a telegram to Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, to pay its respects.

The Conference adopted many important resolutions for rendering effective assistance to China.

## FLUCTUATING YEN

SHANGHAI, June 8 (Reuter)—The yen this morning was brought at 92 National cents, compared with 94 a week ago. Later, however, the buyers' rate advanced to 94 cents, as the National dollar declined in terms of sterling.

## GARDEN PARTY

### Governor Receives 2,000 Guests

About two thousand guests, including members of the Consular Body, the Executive and Legislative Councils, Government officials, heads of departments, naval, military and air force officers and civilian notables, representative of all sections of the community, were received by His Excellency the Governor at a brilliant garden party at Government House in the afternoon.

In contrast to conditions in the morning, the sun shone in the afternoon, and, with the varied styles of dresses worn by the ladies and the uniforms of officers, turned the grounds into a blaze of colour.

#### CONSULAR RECEPTION

At 1 a.m. His Excellency gave a reception to the Consular Body, while the Governor was guest of the Chairman and Committee of the Hongkong Club at luncheon.

Ships in harbour were dressed overall in honour of His Majesty's Birthday, with the noticeable exception of Japanese vessels.

#### At Shameen

SHAMEN, June 8 (Reuter)—The British community to-day cast away their cares and worries in celebrating His Majesty the King's official birthday.

A Review of the combined Police Force and Naval units was held at 9.30 a.m. in Queen's Garden, when Mr. A. P. Blunt, the Consul-General took the salute.

A reception was held at the Consulate-General from 11.30 a.m. to 12.15 p.m. at which the Consular Body and representatives of foreign communities were present. The health of His Majesty was proposed at noon.

## SCHOOL BOYS IN FIGHT

### Alleged Detention Of Two Youths

Five boys from the Pui Ying School were brutally attacked when they were alleged to be set upon by about ten others, believed to be from Robinson Road vicinity, about 10 p.m. on Saturday.

Iron bars and stones were used in the fight which took place outside the Ganossa Hospital. The aggressors, at the conclusion of the fight, "kidnapped" two boys, while the remainder were said to have been beaten to a state which necessitated their being sent to hospital.

A passer-by witnessed the incident and informed school mates of the Pui Ying boys and later about 100 youths rushed to the scene, only to find a pool of blood in the street.

One of the alleged assailants was found and, on his information, the students went to a house in Robinson Road and surrounded it, demanding the release of the two Pui Ying boys, but were unsuccessful.

No report of the incident has been made to the police.

## ADMIRAL NOBLE RETURNS FROM SHANGHAI

His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief of the China Station, Admiral Sir Percy Noble, returned to the Colony yesterday from Shanghai in H.M.S. Birmingham. Sir Percy Noble went to Amoy sometime ago in connection with the Kulungsu dispute, and subsequently proceeded to Shanghai, where he had talks with the Japanese and other naval authorities.

Rear-Admiral A. J. L. Murray, who recently took up his appointment as Rear Admiral of the 5th Cruiser Squadron, is remaining in Amoy for the time being in H.M.S. Cornwall.

## NEW FIRST COMMISSIONER OF WORKS

LONDON, June 8 (Reuter)—Mr. H. Ramsbotham, Minister for Pensions, will be First Commissioner of Works, in succession to the late Sir Philip Sassoon, who died recently.

Sir Walter Womersley, assistant Post-Master General, succeeds Mr. Ramsbotham and Mr. William Mabane succeeds Sir Walter Womersley.

## AIRPORT NEWS

### Imperial Airways:

**NORTHBOUND**  
Monday: Bangkok, Hanoi, Hongkong.  
Dorado, Delphinus—4 & 5 p.m.

**SOUTHBOUND**  
Tuesday: Hanoi, Bangkok.  
Denebola—7 a.m.

**Air France:**  
**SOUTHBOUND**  
Saturday: Hanoi, France.  
Ville de Ventiane—7 a.m.

**Pan American Airways:**  
**EASTBOUND**  
Thursday: U.S.A., Manila, Hongkong.  
Honolulu Clipper—2 p.m.

**WESTBOUND**  
Friday: Manila, U.S.A.  
Honolulu Clipper—8.30 a.m.

Members of the Chinese Women's Relief Association in London will take part in public sales of Chinese goods in aid of refugees in China in November. Madame Quo Tai-chi, wife of the Chinese Ambassador to the Court of St. James's the report adds, has written to the China Foreign Relations Association, requesting that articles for sale be sent to London.

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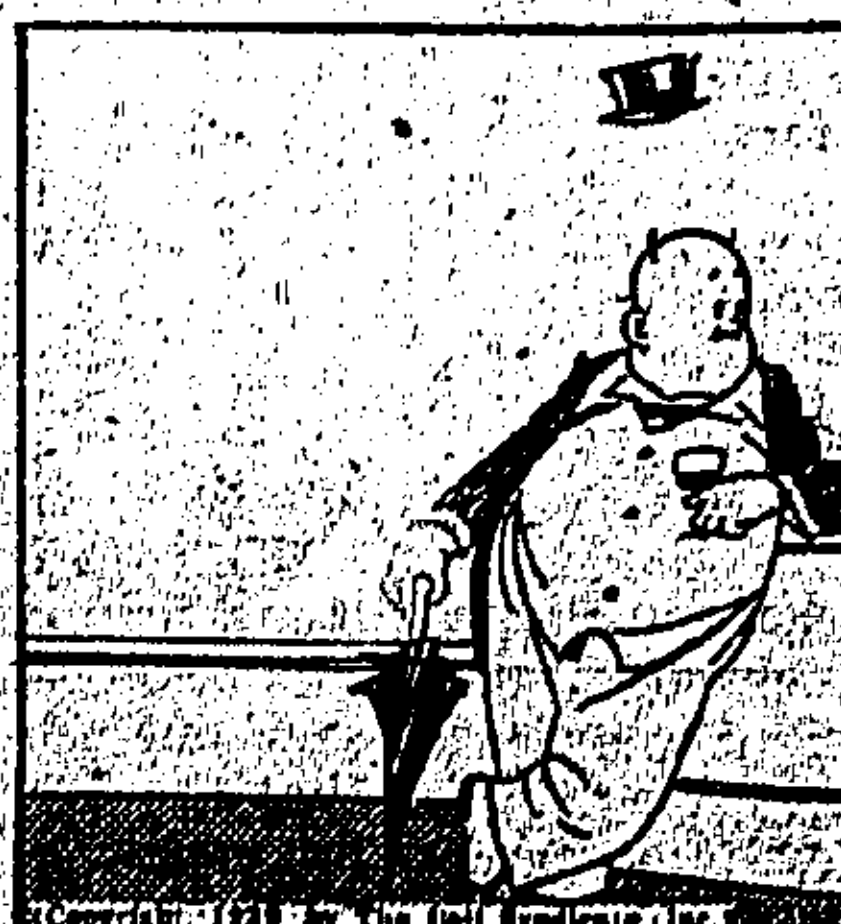


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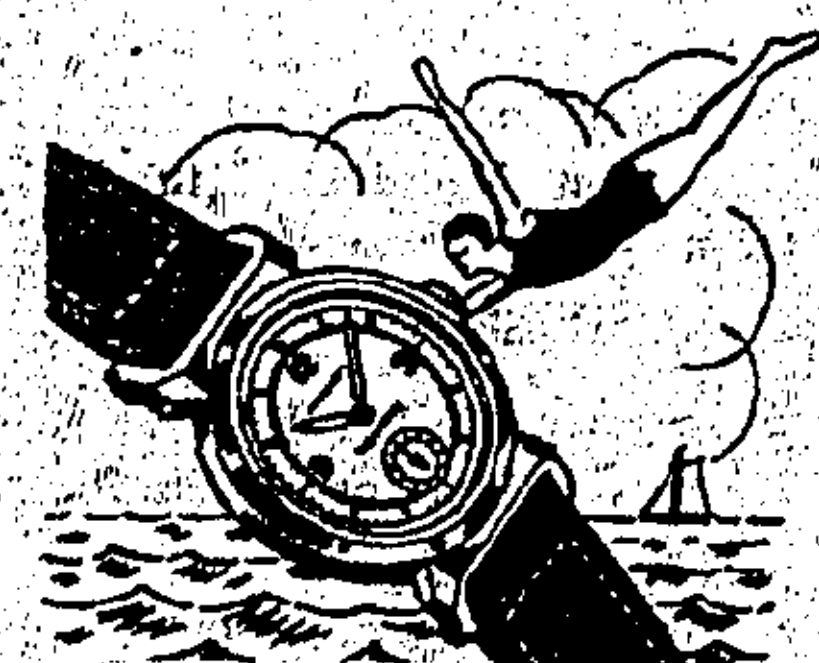


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Controller of Stores.  
Hong Kong, June 5th, 1939.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 12th day of June, 1939, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Ventris Road, in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant) will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, (\$200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in Square Feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
1	Inland Lot No. 5599	North of Inland Lot No. 5605, Ventris Road	As per sale plan	About 31,945	886	15,973

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PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in Square Feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
2	Rural Building Lot No. 424	South East of Rural Building Lot No. 583, Mount Cameron Road	As per sale plan	About 12,100	140	1,673

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BRITISH MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, TIENTSIN.



MUNICIPAL NOTIFICATION  
No. 15/39.

VACANCIES FOR DEPUTY MUNICIPAL ENGINEER & ASSISTANT ENGINEER.

The British Municipal Council, Tientsin, is prepared to receive applications for appointments to the positions of Deputy Municipal Engineer and Assistant Engineer in the Public Works Department.

Candidates must be British Subjects between 25 and 35 years of age, who hold degrees in Civil Engineering from recognised Universities, and who have had several years experience in Municipal Engineering work.

Preference will be given to those having had experience in highway construction, drainage work and building construction.

The successful candidate for the position of Deputy Municipal Engineer will receive an initial salary of from \$1,050 per month to \$1,500 per month according to qualifications, experience and ability. In addition he will receive a temporary allowance, to meet present increased cost of living, equal to 20% (twenty per cent) of his net salary. This allowance may be stopped or altered by the Council at any time, the employee being informed to that effect.

The successful candidate for the position of Assistant Engineer will receive an initial salary of from \$600 to \$1,050 per month according to qualifications, experience and ability. In addition he will receive a temporary allowance, to meet present increased cost of living, equal to 20% (twenty per cent) of his net salary. This allowance may be stopped or altered by the Council at any time, the employee being informed to that effect.

Salaries of Candidates will commence from the date upon which they take up their duties in Tientsin and they will be upon probation for a period of six months from that date.

The Candidates will receive half salary only for the period spent in travelling to Tientsin, and payment of this will be calculated from the date of their embarkation. The Council will pay for their passage (first class) to Tientsin, and in case a Candidate is not offered a contract at the end of his period of probation, a return passage, of similar class, will be given him.

Applications containing reference, credentials, copies of Diplomas and "curriculum vitae" of each Candidate should be addressed to "The Secretary and Engineer, British Municipal Council, Tientsin" and should be forwarded so as to reach him not later than Tuesday, 11th July, 1939.

By Order,  
H. F. BARNES,  
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Council Room,  
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The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from TUESDAY, the 4th July to TUESDAY, the 11th July, 1939, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors,  
W. L. MCKENZIE,  
Secretary.  
Hong Kong, 5th June, 1939.

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PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale	Registry No.	Locality	Boundary Measurements	Contents in Square Feet	Annual Rental	Upset Price
3	New Kowloon Inland Lot No. 2068	Adjoining New Kowloon Inland Lot No. 1969, Ngau Chi Wan	As per sale plan	About 14,000	96	2,800

JARDINE'S CHINESE CLERK ARRESTED

Hankow Foreign Firms Alarmed

HANKOW, (Reuter By Mail).—The arrest of the chief Chinese shipping clerk of the Hankow branch of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co. Ltd., has caused considerable alarm among foreign firms here. Possible action against members of their Chinese staffs is feared.

The Japanese gendarmerie refuse to divulge any details regarding the man's whereabouts. There are grounds for belief, however, that he has been imprisoned by the Japanese gendarmerie and subjected to maltreatment in an attempt to extort information concerning the firm's activities.

The clerk has been in the employ of Messrs. Jardine for 25 years, and his record is excellent.

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BRUTAL MURDER OF BRITON

THE BRUTAL MURDER, for no other term can properly be applied, of Mr. R. M. Tinkler, of the China Printing & Finishing Co., Pootung (on the side of the Whangpoo River opposite to Shanghai), by the Japanese, calls for the sternest possible action on the part of the British authorities and it is gratifying to note that London is taking an extremely serious view of the incident.

MR. TINKLER, whom the writer knew personally for more than fifteen years, was a man of quiet and amiable disposition: he was not the kind to go seeking trouble. During his years as a member of the Shanghai Municipal Police, in which force he attained the rank of detective-inspector, Tinkler got along well not only with his colleagues but with all with whom he came into contact. He proved himself to be an efficient officer and a valuable public servant. As a police officer, he displayed gallantry on a number of occasions when engaged in gun battles with armed robbers and kidnappers. That he should have become a victim to the blood lust of the "civilized" Japanese armed services and "the new order in East Asia" is as deplorable as it is ironic.

JAPANESE SPOKESMEN, of course, are making the usual flimsy and, ridiculous excuses. "Tinkler arrogantly pointed a revolver at the Japanese and even fired a shot, which was grave provocation to the Japanese navy," they assert. "That the Japanese bluejackets disarmed this dangerous character in self-defence and subsequently manhandled him is only natural in the circumstances. It is surprising that he was not shot and killed on the spot." Another spokesman offered what in other circumstances would have been an amusing excuse, "He may have come into contact with a bayonet during the scuffle." Frankly, we do not for a moment believe a word of these official Japanese excuses and do not hesitate to brand them as lies. We refuse to believe that Tinkler did what the Japanese allege and furthermore we do not believe there was any occasion for self-defence as the Japanese blandly put it.

TINKLER was brutally assaulted by the "saviours of the Far East." He was struck down by the Japanese with rifle butts, kicked and bayoneted three times in the abdomen. He had no chance, in face of the overwhelming number of his assailants, to defend himself and it is most likely that he was bayoneted, Japanese fashion, after he had fallen unconscious. Not satisfied with this, the Japanese posted three armed guards outside the door of the operating theatre of the Shanghai General Hospital whither he had been taken—probably to see that the man under ether did not escape! And he was not handed over to the British authorities until after his death, in spite of the latter's requests that he should be surrendered immediately after his detention by the Japanese.

THE JAPANESE CLAIM, that under international law they have the right to execute summary action even insofar as persons enjoying extraterritorial rights are concerned, but the questions arise, "Do the Japanese understand the meaning of international law? Have they ever respected it?" Their actions in China give the replies in the negative. They have been branded "World Law Breakers No. 1" by Dr. Hu Shih, Chinese Ambassador to the United States and that description is a very apt one.

BRITAIN'S PATIENCE is being severely tested as a result of incidents like the present one and it is high time that the Japanese are taught by stern action that they must never recur.

AMATEUR THEATRICALS:

SUCCESS OF LITTLE THEATRE GROUP  
HONGKONG'S GRATIFYING ARRAY OF TALENT

The general excellence of the Hongkong Chinese Little Theatre Group's production of the two native operas, "Sable Cicada" and "Dream of the Red Chamber," is a happy contemplation for both those who shared the success and others who, in one way or another, are interested in amateur play-making.

It was certainly surprising that groups keep up a fine record of productions and performances, two discouragements are ever present; which, but for the tenacity of sacrifice of those concerned, might very well drive all admirable effort underground.

Both aspects are financial, when considered finally. There is first the difficulty of finding a theatre or hall with full facilities for adequate performance. Such amateurs are as fortunate enough to possess halls of their own nevertheless are obliged to restrict the scope of their productions to suit their limited arrangements, whilst others must also destroy the style and quality of their performances in a small theatre with little moving space and a paucity of essential stage properties, and appliances, or face financial risk by engaging a proper theatre at a comparatively high rental.

Secondly, there is the question of public support. Public apathy cannot in its entirety be attributed to public disinterestedness. Very often, poor attendance may be the direct result of impoverished production necessitated by lack of sound arrangements, or caused by high admission charges, which cannot be obviated because of excessive cost of production.

All in all, a great need is felt here for a theatre, properly equipped, which can be made available at moderate cost for all genuine amateur performances. The old Theatre Royal, part of the demolished City Hall, formerly met this need, but the Colony has been for many years without this convenience.

Apart from removing the financial burden which many amateur groups now have to face, such a theatre, as a cultural centre, will do a great deal towards engendering and promoting public interest and encouraging the formation of new amateur companies.

\$10,000 ROBBERY IN MACAO

A sensational episode in Macao, in which four armed men took part and shots were fired, occurred on the night of June 6.

Three folks of a money-changer's shop, at the entrance of Kong Cheong Lane, Sar Lan Tsai, were relieved of about \$10,000 in money.

A large portion of the money was contained in a rattan bag, which was being carried by a man named Ho Tew-lun, and a smaller amount by another, Yokki. The third took carried an umbrella, under his arm, when they left the shop after closing their business at Sap Yip Chor Ng Street, and were proceeding to their residence at No. 7, Tai Thong Lane.

They had not gone far when near the entrance of Kong Cheong Lane, the robbers, who are believed to have been waiting for the folks, took them by surprise and ordered Ho to drop the rattan bag.

The robbers fired several shots in the air, and made good their escape.

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H.K. RESIDENTS HONOURED

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In 1907 he obtained the degrees of M.B., B.S., and the F.R.C.S. three years later.

From 1909 to 1911 he was Surgical Registrar and Anaesthetist to Guy's Hospital and in 1912 was appointed Principal Medical Officer to the Great Central Railway.

In 1913 he was appointed Professor of Anatomy at the Hongkong University, which post he held until 1923. In addition to being Professor of Surgery and Ho Tung Professor of Clinical Surgery.

Since then he has been in the service of the Medical Department as Surgeon at the Government Civil Hospital and consulting Surgeon to the Hongkong Government.

Prof. Digby is also Hon. Consultant in Surgery to the South China Command.

Prof. Digby married in 1913 Selina Dorothy, daughter of Mr. John S. Law and has two daughters.

He has published a number of important treatises on medical subjects.

Capt. J. S. Rodrigues The congratulations of a wide circle of friends, both in the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps and among his business colleagues, will go out to Capt. Jose Simao Rodrigues, of the Portuguese Companies, who has been awarded the M.B.E. decoration by His Majesty the King.

ANGLO-ITALIAN RELATIONS

NO BREACH OF AGREEMENT

Premier's Statement In Commons

LONDON, June 8 (Reuter).—In the course of a long statement on Spain in the House of Commons yesterday, Mr. Neville Chamberlain said that, taking all circumstances into account, the Government did not propose to make any representations to the Italian Government unless the situation was materially altered by some new development.

Replying to supplementary questions, Mr. Chamberlain said that there had been no breach of the Anglo-Italian Agreement. Twenty thousand Italians and 6,000 Germans had left Spain, representing the great majority of the foreign troops there.

The Italian Air Force at Majorca was being reduced and a number of pilots had left. The remainder was expected to leave shortly.

Main Object Achieved All Germans connected with the air base at Majorca had left, except two. The main object of the exchange of notes preceding the Anglo-Italian Agreement was to insure against the possibility that the Spanish Government induced to offer bases where war material might remain under Italian control.

Information available showed that the main objective had been achieved with the withdrawal of the Italians.

COMING EVENTS

- June 9—Tides: High—3.57 a.m. and 12.44 p.m. Low—6.49 a.m. and 8.49 p.m. Sunrise: 5.30 a.m. Sunset: 7.05 p.m. Easter day for Macao Race: 10 a.m. St. Andrew's: Med. Wkly. Pk. 10 a.m.; Full Choir Practice 6.30 p.m.; Toc H 7 p.m. Cathedral: Choir Practice 4.30 p.m. 2nd Exec. Council Mtg. Chinese-American Inst. Nat. City Bank: 4.30 p.m. University Council at Govt. House 5.30 p.m. Helena May Christian Fellowship 10.30 a.m. Tung Dai Pd. Prod. Ld. Ex. Gen. Mtg. 3 p.m. and 4.15 p.m. The H.—St. Andrew's 7 p.m. Crown Land Sale 11 a.m. Y.M.C.A.: "Keep Fit" Class 10.30 a.m. Y.M.C.A.: Badminton and Mxd. Swimming. Gramophone Recital at Y.M.C.A. 9 p.m. Cheero Club Darts, Ping-pong, billiards. 10—Jockey Club's Sixth Extra Meeting, Happy Valley. Wedding: Bailey-Pratt. Wedding at St. Andrew's: Godfrey-Mellor 10 a.m. Gp. Speaker: Rev. A. J. Hansen. Club Lunch Picnic. Launch Leaves Police Pier 3.30 p.m. Wah Yan Past Students' Assn. Launch Picnic. Launch leaves Queen's Pier 2.30 p.m. Small Ball Charity match, C. Hill. Y.M.C.A.: Outing to Cheung Chau. Launch leaves K.P. Pier 2.30 p.m. Methodist Church Wanchai, Launch Picnic to Tung Chung. Launch leaves 2 p.m. K.P. 11—S.C.A.A. Gals Sampan Race. Y.M.C.A. Disc. Gp. Speaker: Rev. A. J. Hansen—"The Destiny of Man"—9 p.m. 12—Entries close for H.K. Water Polo League 6 p.m. Crown Land Sale 3 p.m. Govt. Stores Sand Depot Closed. Wedding at St. Andrew's: Brown-Mitchell 4 p.m. St. Andrew's Club Whist Drive 9 p.m. H.K.F.A. Council Mtg. 5.30 p.m. Rotary Club Directors' Mtg. H.K. Hotel 6.10 p.m. Y.M.C.A. Com. Mtg. 10 a.m. Y.M.C.A. Whist Drive 8.30 p.m. 13—A.R.P. Lecture: St. Andrew's Hall, Kowloon 6 p.m. Water Polo League Com Mtg. Y.M.C.A.W.S. Bridge 10 a.m. Y.M.C.A. Badminton and Mxd. Swimming. 14—Y.M.C.A. Mahjong 10 a.m. 15—Annual Mtg. of R.E.O.A. Wellington Barracks 8 p.m. Dress Rehearsal for Children's Charity Fair 4 p.m. Theological Soc. Mtg. Speaker: Mr. A. F. Kunders, "Occultism and Mystery." Y's Men's Club Mtg. Speaker: Mr. A. J. Hansen "Wuhan—Before and After Occupation" 1 p.m. Jubilee Sale, Cathedral Hall 8 p.m. Y.M.C.A. Beginners' Mahjong 10 a.m. 16—Y.M.C.A. "Keep Fit" Class 10.30 a.m.; First Aid (Men) 6 p.m.; Badminton and Mxd. Swimming. 17—Children's Charity Fair, 254, The Peak. 18—Macao Race Mtg. 19—Cheero Club Women's Adv. Com. Gals Dance 8.30 p.m. H.K. Loan Redemption. St. Andrew's Club Treasure Hunt and Social Evening 9 p.m. 20—League Day (Men) Then Soc. Mtg. Speaker: Mr. A. J. Kunders—"Occultism/Clarification—Promising"—9.30 p.m. Speaker: Rev. A. J. Hansen.



## BIRTHDAY HONOURS

PROMOTION FOR THE  
DUKE OF KENTFive Barons Created: 4  
Knights For Colonies

LONDON, June 8 (BWS)—In connexion with the celebration of His Majesty the King's Birthday, H. R. H. the Duke of Kent has been promoted Rear-Admiral in His Majesty's Fleet, Major-General in the Army and Air Vice-Marshal in the Royal Air Force.

The Birthday Honours include five Baronies and five Baronetcies, while 34 Knighthoods are conferred and two new Privy Counsellors are appointed.

The new Barons are Sir Arthur de Capell Brooke; Sir Herbert Cayzer; Captain Herbert Dixon, whose elevation to the Peerage will necessitate by-elections in Portsmouth South and East Belfast, respectively; Sir Henry Lyons; and Sir Frederick Marquis. The new Commissioner for Works, Mr. Herwald Ramsbotham, whose appointment to succeed the late Sir Philip Sassoon was announced on Wednesday, becomes Privy Counsellor, as does the Scottish Conservative Whip in the House of Commons, Mr. James Stuart.

The most prominent of the new Baronets is Dr. Robert Hutchison, of the Royal College of Physicians.

## New Knights

The most notable of the new Knights Bachelor is Max Beerbohm, equally witty as a caricaturist or author in the literary era, which seems almost to have passed into history.

Prof. Owen Richardson, whose work on the emission of electrons from heated filament has been a valuable contribution to progress in radio and television, is knighted.

Dr. Drummond Shiels, Under-Secretary for India and later for the Colonies in Mr. Ramsay MacDonald's Second Labour Administration, also becomes a Knight.

## Companions of Honour

There are two new Companions of Honour, Dr. G. P. Gooch, historian and one of the editors of the Bristol documents bearing on origins of the last Great War, and Mr. J. J. Mallon, Warden of Tynbee Hall, one of the Governors of the B.B.C. and well-known for his pioneer work in connexion with Trade Boards.

Seven knighthoods are conferred in the Dominions, sixteen in India and Burma, and four in the Colonial Empire.

## Orders of Chivalry

Coming to the orders of Chivalry, it is interesting to note that, in view of the King and Queen's arrival in the United States yesterday, that Sir Ronald Lindsay, His Majesty's Ambassador at Washington, is appointed to the

Order of the Bath Knight Grand Cross. The other G.C.B. in the Civil Division is Sir Findlater Stewart, Permanent Under-Secretary at the India Office.

Approvals and promotions in the Order of Saint Michael and Saint George include Sir Edward Harding, Permanent Under-Secretary at the Dominions Office, who becomes G.C.M.G. and Mr. Richard Butler, former Premier of South Australia, and Sir Humphrey Walwyn, Governor of Newfoundland, who are both made Knights Commander.

## The New Knights

According to a Reuter message, among the Knights-Bachelor are Mr. Stanley Aubrey, Chairman of Lloyds Committee, and Mr. William Fraser, deputy chairman of the Anglo-Iranian Oil Company.

Mr. Edward Wilshaw, chairman of Cable and Wireless, has been appointed Knight Commander of St. Michael and St. George.

Mr. H. J. Seymour, Minister to Tehran has been made a Knight Commander of St. Michael and St. George, and Mr. Michael Holt of the British Embassy in Baghdad has been created a Companion of the Order.

Mr. Alan Lascelles, a member of the Royal Secretariat, now with the King in Canada, has been created a Commander of the Victorian Order, and a similar distinction has been conferred upon Mr. G. A. Ponsonby, comptroller of the royal household.

Colonel Dow Lamb, attached to the Iraq army has been made a Commander of the Empire.

## HOSPITAL BENEFACTOR

LONDON, June 8 (Reuter)—Among the new baronets in the Birthday Honours List is Mr. Harry Oakes, a member of the Legislative Council of Bahamas, for public and philanthropic services. Sir Harry is a generous benefactor of St. George's Hospital having given £200,000 to the rebuilding fund. His latest donation of £10,000 was announced in to-day's papers.

AERIAL  
BATTLE  
IN SOUTHTWO JAPANESE  
PLANES DAMAGED

From Our Own Correspondent CHUNGSHAN, June 8.—Chinese war planes flew over Tientsin and Shantung on June 2 and were challenged by enemy machines, developing into an aerial battle. Two Japanese fighters were damaged in the dog fight, while the Chinese planes returned to their base in safety.

Chinese troops are launching fierce attacks on Sunkai, on the Canton-Hankow Railway, about 40 miles north of Canton, in an attempt to stem the Japanese advance northward. The enemy forces are said to be 15,000 officers and men.

## Guerilla Raid

Chinese guerrillas on June 6 made a successful raid on Tung-kwoon, on the East River, and succeeded in slaying several puppet captains and majors. Before they retired, the guerrillas destroyed several ammunition dumps and set fire to military establishments.

In recapturing Wong Tong, near Samshui, on June 5, the Chinese forces killed over 300 Japanese soldiers and bluejackets. Several majors and lieutenant commanders were also killed.

## Japanese Threat

Japanese reinforcements have been sent to Kowloon, on Triangle Island, south-west of Canton, and will advance westward to invade Kowloon and Hailow. To signify their threat, Japanese gunboats last night sent shells after shell on Tongha, east of Kowloon, and inflicted heavy damage on civil dwelling houses and casualties on civilians.

## ROYAL TOUR:

KING AND QUEEN BID  
FAREWELL TO CANADALARGE CROWDS ASSEMBLED  
AT HISTORIC BORDER

NIAGARA FALLS, JUNE 8 (REUTER)—CANADA BADE THEIR MAJESTIES THE KING AND QUEEN AN AFFECTIONATE FAREWELL FROM HER SIDE OF THE GIGANTIC FALLS LAST NIGHT, as over the water America waited in a mood of tense suspense to receive the first reigning British Monarch to set foot on United States soil, accompanied by his Queen.

Nearly half a million "neighbours" of the two great democracies in the Western Hemisphere had gathered throughout the day to witness the historic border over which Mr. Cordell Hull, U.S. Secretary of State, on his arrival from Washington, will greet Their Majesties with a handshake.

## Pleasing Mission

Mr. Hull spoke of his "pleasing mission of an informal nature" and said, at a press conference, that this was a time when a visit of this nature could be examples to those sections of the world which threatened chaos and anarchy in their international relations.

He added that no two peoples had more in common than the United States and Britain.

Their Majesties are due to stay two and a half hours on the Canadian side of the Falls before rejoining the Royal Train to cross the International Bridge at 1.30 a.m., where the British Ambassador, Sir Ronald Lindsay, will present Mr. Cordell Hull, who, like all members of the Welcoming Committee, is wearing a lounge suit.

Ten thousand school children massed outside the hotel where Their Majesties were dining privately before entering the

United States, in the hope that they would appear on the balcony overlooking the falls.

## Six Brief Stops

The train made six brief stops. Its run yesterday including Hamilton, "Canada's Birmingham," the sixth largest city in the Dominion, and Saint Catharines, where Their Majesties disembarked and drove the rest of the way to Niagara Falls by car.

After the presentations on the American side of the Falls, Their Majesties will return to the train, which will immediately steam for Washington, where President Roosevelt and Mrs. Roosevelt—and what is likely to be the first head wave for the summer—are waiting to greet their Royal guests at 3 p.m. to-day.

## Through Wind Tunnel

After the customary civic reception, and presentations on the Canadian side of the frontier, Their Majesties drove to Table Rock, where they were conducted through the wind tunnel under the Falls.

Amongst those Mr. Cordell Hull will present to Their Majesties will be the Military and Naval Aides-de-Camp appointed to attend on Their Majesties during their visit to the United States.

SOVIET PREPARED TO CONCLUDE  
AGREEMENT ON THE BASIS OF FULL  
RECIPROCITYProgress Of Negotiations  
With Russia Outlined  
By Prime MinisterFOREIGN OFFICE REPRESENTATIVE  
TO CONVEY BRITISH ATTITUDE

LONDON, June 8 (Reuter)—"For reasons which the House will appreciate, it is not possible to give day-to-day information regarding the progress of the negotiations with Russia," said Mr. Neville Chamberlain in the House of Commons yesterday.

"The stage has now, however, been reached which enables me to supplement what I said on May 24.

"It appears from the last exchange of views with the Soviet, that there is general agreement on the main objects to be attained.

"The British Government have, I think, been able to satisfy the Soviet that they are in fact prepared to conclude an agreement on the basis of full reciprocity and have also made it clear that they are ready immediately, without any reserve, to join with the French in giving the Soviet full military support in the event of any act of aggression against her involving her in hostilities with the European Powers.

"It is not intended that the full military support which the three Powers would agree to extend to one another should be confined to cases of actual aggression on their own territory.

"It is possible to imagine various cases in which any one of the three Governments might feel that its security was indirectly menaced by the action of another European Power.

"These cases have been reviewed in detail and I hope it will be possible to suggest a formula acceptable to the three Governments, which, having regard to the interests of the other states, will ensure co-operation between those powers in resistance to aggression.

"There remain one or two difficulties to be resolved, particularly the position of certain states which do not want to receive a guarantee on the ground that they would compromise their strict neutrality, which they desire to preserve.

"It is manifestly impossible to impose a guarantee on states

## SOVIET PACT:

BRITAIN'S  
SPECIAL  
ENVOYAGREEMENT  
NEXT WEEK?MR. WM. STRANG  
FOR MOSCOW

LONDON, JUNE 8 (REUTER)—REUTER'S DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENT LEARNS THAT MR. WILLIAM STRANG, C.M.G., HEAD OF THE CENTRAL DEPARTMENT OF THE FOREIGN OFFICE, WILL BE BRITAIN'S SPECIAL ENVOY TO MOSCOW.

Mr. Strang has lately been in Warsaw on a private visit to the British Minister and is now returning home.

It is pointed out that Mr. Strang has been through all the developments and negotiations with the Soviet Government and is, therefore, particularly well qualified to be the bearer and interpreter of instructions to Sir William Seeds, the British Ambassador in Moscow, which are hoped to lead to an early conclusion of the Franco-British-Soviet Anti-Aggression Pact.

Mutually Satisfactory. It is learned from diplomatic quarters that the general bases of the formula, mutually satisfactory to the British, French and Russian Governments, have already been established.

These consist in mutually guaranteeing each other's "vital interests." Thus, if the Soviet Government should declare that it considers the territorial integrity and political independence of the Baltic States to be of vital interest, the question of a guarantee to those states would be evaded and their objections to having a guarantee thrust upon them would be circumvented.

No Difficulty. It is felt in official quarters that in any case the question of finding a formula which will reconcile all conflicting viewpoints should not present any great difficulty, now that the Russian stipulation for full reciprocity has been agreed upon.

Mr. Strang will probably leave London by air on Friday and reach Moscow on Saturday or Sunday. It is believed that there is



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SYMPATHY  
FOR CHINALABOUR CONFERENCE  
RESOLUTION

GENEVA, June 8 (Reuter)—Some fifty countries will be represented at the International Labour Conference which opens here to-day.

Groups of workers met yesterday at a preliminary session and adopted two resolutions:

Firstly they warmly approved the peace initiative of President Roosevelt and urged him to continue his effort to achieve a durable and honourable peace by summoning an international economic conference.

## Heroic Defence

Secondly, they expressed sympathy "with the Chinese working classes, who were heroically defending China against Japanese aggression" and concluded "the workers of the world are convinced that their enormous sacrifices will not be in vain and that the Chinese peasants know how to safeguard their independence against Japanese aggression, with whom nevertheless, the Japanese proletariat is not identified."

SHAI STOCK  
EXCHANGE

Continued from Page 1.

The main criticism appears to be the alleged casual manner in which the control suddenly without announcing withdrew its support and apparently abandoned at least temporarily, its mission which, in the words of the Chancellor of the Exchequer, was to preserve the stability of the Chinese dollar with a view to rendering material assistance to British trade and enterprise in China.

Critics voiced the opinion that the Fund would have discharged its duties more satisfactorily by permitting the dollar to seek a lower level gradually, ironing out the violent fluctuations in the course of the decline instead of maintaining a fictitiously high level then suddenly allowing a complete collapse leading to total demoralization on the markets. It is understood the Chinese bankers and brokers are meeting this afternoon to discuss the situation.

## FUTURE A MYSTERY

With the future policy of the stabilization fund as much a mystery as ever the exchange market to-day remained disorganized, business transacted being only limited amounts at widely fluctuating rates. Sellers of sterling quoted at the opening at 1/4, or 13-5/8 cents (Gold) but these levels were not maintained for long and soon declined to 6-1/2 and 12-5/8, respectively, whereupon a harder tendency appeared and 6-3/4 and 13-1/8 were quoted at mid-day.

In the afternoon a further easiness was seen and the rates again plunged to 6-1/2 and 12-5/8 but the closing was somewhat steadier at 6-3/4 and 13-1/8. The erratic behaviour of the dollar reflected on gold bars which, opening at \$2,245 soared to \$2,440 in the middle of the morning establishing an all-time record whereafter the trend reversed and the price fluctuated throughout closing at \$2,380. This compares with \$2,098 at the opening yesterday.

Stop book conditions were witnessed on the Shanghai stock exchange as holders of idle dollar funds rushed to buy shares, large blocks changing hands at progressively higher prices though some of the profit-taking led to irregular movements in the afternoon. An exchange official estimated the prices mostly gained 5 to 10 per cent. on the large turnover.

Reasonable prospects for a full agreement being reached next week.

JAPANESE  
PERMITS  
NECESSARYRESTRICTIONS  
ON SHIPPING  
& PASSENGERSBritish Governments'  
Acquiescence

LONDON, JUNE 8 (REUTER)—THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT RECOGNIZE THE NECESSITY FOR SHIPS SAILING FOR INLAND WATER PORTS FROM SHANGHAI TO CARRY JAPANESE MILITARY PERMITS, Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, informed the House of Commons yesterday in a written reply to a question by Sir John Wardlaw-Milne (Con.).

## Nine Ports

Mr. Butler stated that a notification had been received at the instance of the so-called Reformed Government in Nanking that owners of vessels wishing to clear for nine specified places after June 1 must first obtain a certificate from competent Japanese authorities.

Sir Robert Craigie, British Ambassador to Japan, had been instructed to take up the matter with the Japanese Government that immediate instructions should be sent to the appropriate authorities to refrain from the insistence of military permits, the necessity for which was not recognized as justifiable by the British Government.

## Military Passes

In order to enable British subjects to proceed up the River Yangtze, the British Government has acquiesced in the requirement that they should hold Japanese military passes.

The British Government do not recognize in principle the Japanese right to restrict or control the movements of Britons and Sir Robert Craigie had been instructed to enter formal reservations, announced Mr. R. A. Butler.

## Better To Acquiesce

Sir Nairne Sandeman (Con.) asked if the British Government had acquiesced in granting these passes.

Mr. Butler: Yes, because the situation on the Yangtze is normal and we have thought it better to acquiesce in order to obtain those facilities while making reservations on the general question.

NEW GOV. GENERAL  
FOR THE SUDAN

LONDON, June 8 (Reuter)—G.C.M.G. K.C.M.G. K.B.E., C.M.G., Governor of Nigeria, has been appointed Governor-General of the Sudan, in succession to Sir Stewart Symes, who is retiring at the end of the year.

Sir Bernard Bourdillon went to Nigeria from Ceylon, where he was Colonial Secretary from 1929-1931.

PETROLEUM UNIONS'  
STATEMENT

MEXICO CITY, June 8 (Reuter)—The unions of petroleum workers, now holding a convention, have issued an official statement that they will not under any conditions return the expropriated properties to the owners.

Mr. Ivan Malykh, the Soviet Ambassador in London, called at the Foreign Office yesterday morning and conferred with the Foreign Secretary, Lord Halifax, says Reuter.

TROOPING THE  
COLOURQueen Mary Present  
At Ceremony

LONDON, June 8 (Reuter)—The Trooping of the Colours was held at the Horse Guards' Parade this morning in honour of the King's Birthday. Queen Mary made her first outing since her recent motor accident.

A big crowd gathered outside Marlborough House and cheered Her Majesty when she drove to the ceremony.

Those taking part in the ceremony must have been thankful for this morning's weather which was ten degrees cooler than yesterday.

Over 1,500 officers and men of the Brigade of Guards were on parade or otherwise participated in the wonderful pageant in which the traditional movements were carried out with astonishing precision to the impressive accompaniment of slow and quick march music played by the massed bands of the Guards' regiments.

The Duke of Gloucester in the uniform of Colonel of the Scots Guards deputized in the King's absence. The Duke of Kent accompanied his brother, Princess Margaret accompanied Queen Mary, Princess Elizabeth being absent owing to a slight cold.

Her Majesty, together with other members of the Royal family and General Gamelin, French Chief of General Staff watched the glittering military cavalcade from the balcony.

In the House of Commons yesterday, says Reuter, the Prime Minister, Mr. Chamberlain, received the Turkish editors visiting Britain under the auspices of the British Consul at Ankara.

SAGRES  
INCIDENTRIGHTS IN RESPECT  
OF COMPENSATION

LONDON, June 8 (Reuter)—In the House of Commons yesterday, Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, in reply to a question regarding the Sagres incident, stated that full information was necessary for the formulation of detailed claims and these were not yet available.

He added that as Mr. Chamberlain had stated on May 24, the Government would reserve all their rights in respect of compensation.

Malaya's  
MagnanimityOVER £7,250,000  
FOR EMPIRE DEFENCE

LONDON, June 8 (Reuter)—Cheers greeted a statement made by Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, Secretary of State for the Colonies, in the House of Commons yesterday, in which he declared that the free gifts from Malaya, towards the cost of Empire Defence during the past ten years had amounted to more than £7,250,000, in addition to the expenditure borne by the Malayan Government for the local forces, including His Majesty's forces in the Peninsula, amounting to £15,000,000.



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THEIR MAJESTIES ARRIVAL  
IN WASHINGTON

Chopin Concerto No. 1  
11.00 to 12.20 p.m. Relay of Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral.

12.30 p.m. Anton and The Paramount Theatre Orchestra with Al Bollington at the Organ.

"A Day At The Races"—Selection (Kahn, Raper and Jurnan)—"The Gold Diggers of 1937"—Selection (Young and Others)—Anton and The Paramount Theatre Orchestra with Al Bollington (Organ). Escapade (A Mexican Eltopement)—Phillips; Speak To Me Of Love (Lentor)—Al Bollington at the Organ of the Paramount Theatre, London. Medley Of Fascinating Dances—Anton and The Paramount Theatre Orchestra with Al Bollington (Organ). "Girl Of The Golden West"—Selection. "Champagne Waltz"—Selection. "Banjo On My Knee"—Selection—Anton and The Paramount Theatre Orchestra with Al Bollington (Organ).

1.00 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Hildegarde (Vocal) and Gerald and His Orchestra.

It's D'Lovely (from "The Fleet's It Up"—Cole Porter)—Gerald and His Orchestra. The Glory Of Love (Billie Hill). The Touch Of Your Lips (No. 1)—Hildegarde (Vocal) with Carroll Gibbons and His Boy Friends. In A Little Toy Sailboat—Fox-Trot; Small Fry—Slow-Trot (film "Sing, you Sinners")—Gerald and His Orchestra. Yours And Mine (from Broadway Melody of 1938)—Hildegarde (Vocal) with Orch. On The Sentimental Side (film "Doctor Rhythm"); My Heart Is Taking Lessons (film "Doctor Rhythm")—Gerald and His Orchestra.

1.30 p.m. Reuter and Rugby Press. Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.45 p.m. Compositions of Debussy. Four D'Artifice. Extrude Des "Pre-lude" (2e Livre)—Marcel Clampi (Piano). Menuet—Violin Solo by Joseph Szeged with Kurt Rutschitz at the Piano. Petite Suite—Symphony Orchestra cond. by Piero Coppola. Prelude No. 8—La Fille Aux Cheveux De Lin; Prelude No. 3—Le Vent Dans Les Plaines—Alfred Cortot (Piano) Sarabande—Boston Symphony Orchestra cond. by Serge Koussevitzky.

2.15 p.m. Close down.

6.00 p.m. Dance Music.

Fox-Trots—Bewildered; There's A Brand New Picture In My Picture Frame—Horace Heidt & His Orchestra. Brigades—Tangos—Aloha—Marimba. O Balalaika—Mantovani and His Tipica Orch. Waltz—Let's Waltz For Old Time's Sake; Slow Fox-Trot—I Fall In Love With You Every Day (film "Swing Teacher swing")—Victor Silvester and His Ballroom Orchestra. Fox-Trots—The Fox-Trot; Everything (from the film); Hurry Home—"Hutch" and His Charm Music. Fox-Trots—I Miss You In The Morning; Lately—Bully Thornburn & His Music. Tangos—Fireflowers; Fortuna—Robert Renard Dance Orchestra. Fox-Trots—Deep In A Dream; Nice Guy—Harry Roy and His Orchestra.

6.45 p.m. London Relay—"Hymen And The Highwayman."

A comedy by R. A. Roxburgh. Characters: Martin Tindale; Barbara Merrill; Farmer Merrill; Margaret—Barbara Merrill; Sir Tindale; Highwayman; Starline, one of his men. Production by Howard Roe.

7.15 p.m. Closing local Stock Quotations.

7.17 p.m. Variety with Elsie and Boris Waters; Alice Faye; Al Bowlly; and Ambrose and His Orchestra. Wake Up And Live (from the film)—Alice Faye with Cy Feuer Orch. I'm All In—Fox-Trot (from "Soft, lights and Sweet music"); Lost My Rhythm, Lost My Music, Lost My Man—Fox-Trot (from "Soft, lights and Sweet music"); Ambrose and His Orchestra. Gert Daisy, A Piano—And How! (E. and D. Waters). Elsie and Boris Waters. Cuban Pete—Rumba; Lady From Mayfair—Slow; Fox-Trot—Ambrose and His Orchestra. Violin in Vienna (Squash-Daisy). Romy (Squash-Daisy). Romy (Vocal) with Orch. Never In A Million Years (film "Wake Up and Live"); It's Swell Of You (film "Wake Up and Live")—Alice Faye (Vocal) with Cy Feuer Orch. Peter's Pop, Keeps A Lollipop Shop—Novelty Fox-Trot; Music In May—Waltz (from "Careless Rapture")—Ambrose and His Orchestra. London Pride—Cockneys; Ah—Heart (Thompson and Stern); And Around Of It Too—Elsie and Boris Waters with Orch.

8.00 p.m. Local Time Signal. Weather Report and Announcements.

8.05 p.m. Military Band Music.

Under The Double Eagle—March (Wagner); Hands Across The Water—March (Souza)—The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards, cond. by Major J. C. Windham. Stars And Stripes For Ever (Souza); Washington Post (Souza)—The Band of H.M. Welsh Cavalry, directed by Major Andrew Harris (With Male Chorus).

8.15 p.m. London Relay—A commentary from America on the arrival of their Majesties, the King and Queen, at Union Station, Washington, where they will be met by President and Mrs. Roosevelt, and their drive through the streets.

9.15 p.m. London Relay—The News.

9.30 p.m. London Relay—"More Food For Thought."

9.45 p.m. London Relay—"Sports News and Market Notes."

9.55 p.m. Charles—Goulden—Ballad Music.

London Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Antal Dorati.

10.07 p.m. Songs by Miliza Korjus (Soprano).  
Punicul-Punicula (Denza, Zarandi-ni); La Danza (Rossini)—Sung in Italian with Orchestra and Chorus.  
10.17 p.m. Simon Barker at the Piano.  
Toccata, Op. 17 (Schumann); Mazurka In F Sharp Minor, Op. 69, No. 3.  
10.27 p.m. Chopin—Concerto No. 1 in E Minor, Op. 11.  
Arthur Rubinstein (Piano) and The London Symphony Orchestra conducted by John Barbirolli.  
11.00 p.m. Close down.

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H.K. Time  
a.m.

10.00—Broadcast to Schools—"Glimp-  
ses of English Literature" (A).  
10.10—"Wheat and Grain Report" (A).  
10.40—"At Home and Abroad" (A).  
11.05—"Luncheon Music" (A).  
11.30—"Afternoon Music Programme" (A).

p.m.  
1.00—Trooping the Colour in honour  
of King George VI birthday (A).  
1.30—Sonata Recital by Joseph Shad-  
wick (violin) and Wilfrid Parry  
(pianoforte) (D1).

2.30—News (D1).  
2.45—"More Food for Thought" (D1).  
3.00—Recital by Winifred Payne,  
contralto (D1).  
3.15—Sports News and Market Notes  
(D1).

3.30—Young People's Session (A).  
3.45—Commentary On News (A).  
4.45—"Hymen and the Highwayman" (A).  
7.00—Piano Quartet Recital (A).

7.15—Dance Music by Lew Stone and  
his Band (D1); Ballad Concert  
(A).

7.45—Light Orchestral Concert (A).  
8.00—"Under Big Ben" Talk by  
Howard Marshall (D1).  
8.15—Friday Midday Concert. The  
Willoughby Quartet (D1).

9.00—Sandy Macpherson, B.B.C.  
Theatre Organ (D1); Recorded  
Feature (A).  
9.15—News (D1).  
9.20—Summary of the day's news  
(D1).  
9.30—"More Food for Thought" (D1).  
9.45—Sports News and Market Notes  
(D1).

10.00—Recital by Jacques Antelme,  
baritone (D1).  
10.15—The B.B.C. Military Band (D1).  
11.30—Richmond Royal Horse Show  
(D1).

12.00—News (D1).  
a.m.

12.15—Fred Hartley and his Sextet,  
with Brian Lawrence, baritone  
(D1).  
12.55—Sports News and Market Notes  
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YOUNGER MEN  
TO MAKE  
RUGBY LAWSPRESENT SYSTEM  
UNSUITABLE

LONDON, May 12.—The com-  
mittee's nomination for next  
years' presidency of the Rugby  
Union is Mr. G. C. Robinson, of  
Northumberland. His club is  
Percy Park, and he was capped  
for England eight times between  
1897 and 1901.

John Daniell, of Somerset, who  
was junior vice-president, and  
chairman of the selection com-  
mittee, is nominated as senior  
vice-president. He played until  
1904. Major "Jock" Hartley, who  
was manager of the British team  
in South Africa, and represents  
the Army, will become a new vice-  
president. He played until 1902.

These two will presumably  
follow Mr. Robinson in the chair.

Under present rules they will  
not retire once they have en-  
joyed this eminence. They be-  
come permanent ex-officio mem-  
bers of the committee and con-  
tinue to vote on vital matters,  
whatever their age and however  
distant their connection with the  
game may become.

At present there are 11 past  
presidents in this position. Gen-  
eral Basil Hill will make it 12;  
the new president and two vice-  
presidents will make it 15 within  
three years. And the strength  
of the elected committee is 30.

Three of these past presidents  
serve on the International Board,  
on which our share is four in all.  
Two of them were capped for  
England, but it is 40 years since  
they played.

## No Modern Experience

What hope is there in looking  
laws framed by people so com-  
pletely out of touch with modern  
experience on the field?

The players of Rugby, for whom  
the game is held to exist, want  
the rules over-hauled, not by  
these gentlemen, but by players  
in recent times.

It is timely to suggest now that,  
when the new Rugby Union com-  
mittee is elected next month, they  
shall really try to give definite  
expression to the views expressed  
over and over again on this sub-  
ject this season by the players.

It is a fatal mistake to leave  
law-making in football to men  
who have not tried to play in ac-  
cordance with those laws.

Will the Rugby Union consider  
electing to this office players of  
such recent vintage as J.S. Green-  
wood, Charles Hopwood, A. T.  
Voyce, and W. W. Wakefield, all  
of whom are on the committee  
and are fully qualified to act?

Under present conditions they  
will not be asked to do so till  
they have first been Presidents.  
That will take the last of them  
exactly 30 years.

The construction of two strate-  
gically important routes in the  
Near East are reported in the  
"Daily Express." English engineers,  
the paper reports, are super-  
vising the completion of highroads  
from Baghdad to the Suez Canal  
and from Jerusalem to Cairo.

(T.O.)

The Duke of Windsor will in  
future retain only one English de-  
fective of the rank of Sergeant as  
personal bodyguard. Hitherto the  
Duke has been attended by one  
Superintendent and one Inspec-  
tor. The cost of these attendants  
was borne by the Royal purse  
which by the new arrangement  
will be saved £1,000 per year—  
(T.O.)

## WEATHER REPORT

HONGKONG ROYAL  
OBSERVATORY

10 a.m., June 8.

Barometer (at sea level), 29.74 ins.

Temperature, 83 F.

Humidity, 88 per cent.

Wind Direction, S.W.

Wind Force (Beaufort), 3.

Temperature, maximum yesterday,  
85 F.

Temperature, minimum last night,  
78 F.

Rainfall for 24 hrs. ending 10th  
to-day, 0.11 ins.

Total rainfall since January 1st,  
41.97 ins.

Against an average of, 26.58 ins.  
Sunset to-night, 7.06 p.m.

Sunrise to-morrow, 5.38 a.m.

4 p.m., June 8.  
Barometer (at sea level), 29.67 ins.

Temperature, 84 F.

Humidity, 86 per cent.

Wind Direction, S.W.

Wind Force (Beaufort), 3.

## THE SERVICES

## ROYAL NAVY

MEDITERRANEAN FLEET STAFF  
Commander L. P. Skipwith, who  
has been appointed to the Barham,  
takes up duty as staff officer (opera-  
tions) with Vice-Admiral Geoffrey  
Layton, Second-in-Command of the  
Mediterranean Fleet.

AIB BRANCH WARRANT  
OFFICERS

It has been decided that the educa-  
tional qualifications for the ranks of  
warrant pilot and warrant observer  
shall be the same as for gunner and  
gunner (torpedo), etc., and that those  
for warrant aircraft officer and war-  
rant air mechanic shall be the same  
as for warrant telegraphist, warrant  
shipwright, and other artisan bran-  
ches.

NAVY'S NEW FLYING BRANCH  
The Admiralty announces that there  
are 120 vacancies in the Navy's new  
flying branch for young men between  
17½ and 22.

Successful candidates will be enter-  
ed as air gunners, and a limited number  
will be selected for further training  
to qualify as rating pilots or rating  
observers.

Men of the flying branch will be  
eligible for promotion to Chief Petty  
Officer and those who achieve a nor-  
mally successful career will be among  
the highest paid ratings in the Fleet.  
An examination will be held at  
Portsmouth, Devonport, Chatham,  
Rochester and Manchester on Wednes-  
day, June 21, and not on May 31 as  
previously announced. Applications  
can be received at any naval recruit-  
ing station up to June 14.

THE FOLLOWING APPOINTMENTS ARE  
MADE BY THE ADMIRALTY:

Capt.—B. C. B. Brooke, to Roches-  
ter, in command (undated).

Eng. Capt.—A. K. Dibley, to Presi-  
dent, as Asst. Engr-in-Chief, Admiralty  
(June 12).

Cdr.—R. C. Harry, to Bridgewater,  
in command (undated).

Cdr. (E)—N. E. Dalton, to Presi-  
dent, addl. for service in Engr-in-  
Chief's Dept., Admiralty (June 19).

A. D. McGlashan, to Kent (June 23).  
Payr. Cdr.—A. P. Shaw (temp. Payr. Capt.), Warspite, as Sec. to  
Sir B. Cunningham (June 1).

S. T. Beardsworth, to President,  
for duty inside Admiralty (May 20),  
and as Sec. to R/A T. S. V. Phillips,  
with temp. rank of Payr. Capt. (June  
1); A. T. Phillips, to Aurora, as  
Sec. to R/A R. C. Hallifax (undated).

Le-Noy, 1937.  
Lt. (A)—G. E. J. Penny, to Victory  
for f.f.d. at Southampton (June 1).

Sub-Lt.—P. C. Whitfield, to Kestrel,  
and for f.f.d. in 755 Squadron (May  
24).

## SHIPS IN HARBOUR

Kowloon Wharf—Emp. of Cana-  
da, Benclench, Ranchi.

Taipei Sugar R. Wharf—Ning-  
hai.

Elizabeth, Moller for Haiphong,  
Yaumatei—Foch, Proche, Ha  
Dah, Muhiam, Bolivar, Hannah  
Moller.

Kowloon Bay—Marion Moller.  
Williamson Wharf—Jessie Mol-  
ler.

C.M.S.N. Wharf—Changou.  
Texas Wharf—Duyken.  
Sankowaters—Tibetadac.  
Salkong Wharf—Wing Wo.  
Hol On Wharf—Indira.

DOCKS

Talkoo—Bretonshire, Dardanus,  
Klung Chow, Tricula, Chinese.

Prince, Gunda, Govken.  
Kowloon—Havelland.

Cosmopolitan—Hai Tan.

BUOYS

No. A 2—Tijisak.

No. A 3—Loselebank.

No. A 4—Wing Sang.

No. A 5—Joan Moller.

No. A 7—Ho Sans.

No. A 8—Delhi.

No. A 9—Tyndarus.

No. A10—Hong Khens.

No. A13—Chungking.

No. B 1—Szachuen.

No. B 2—Ting Sans.

No. B 3—Sui Yang.

No. B 4—Proveus.

No. B 7—Claude Choppe.

No. B11—Lyeemoon.

No. B12—Canton.

No. B14—Chewking.

No. B15—Kwangtung.

No. B16—Sandviken.

No. B20—Nanchang.

No. B21—Anhui.

HONG KONG TIME TABLE

From 9 June to 15 1939.

High Water. Low Water.

Day of Week. Day of Month. Hong Kong Standard Time. Hong Kong Standard Time. Height.

Fri. 9. 02.37. 4.4. 08.49. 4.1.

Sat. 10. 12.44. 5.6. 20.49. 4.2.

Sun. 11. 04.45. 4.8. 11.57. 3.8.

Mon. 12. 14.50. 4.7. 21.21. 3.4.

Tues. 13. 05.08. 5.9. 11.53. 3.4.

Wed. 14. 05.10. 6.3. 23.05. 3.6.

Thurs. 15. 05.19. 4.1. 12.37. 3.7.

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Minimum temperature, 78 F.

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## ANTI-MALARIA CAMPAIGN PROGRESS IN ASIA

When royal persons travel they choose the best and the most learned medical doctor to accompany them and so it was that Leopold III, King of Belgium, on his trip to the Congo colonies, was accompanied by one of the most eminent scientists on tropical diseases: Prof. C. D. de Langren.

Professor de Langren, who was born in the town of Groningen (Holland) in 1887, is one of the world's greatest authorities on tropical diseases and especially on malaria. His name is famous wherever scientific work, aimed at the ultimate eradication of this scourge of humanity, goes on. Not only being a learned man, but also a great teacher and a charming causeur, Prof. de Langren for a number of years represented Holland and the Netherlands East Indies, as well in South and North America as in all parts of Asia, in Japan, in China, the Straits and the Philippines on numerous congresses, which dealt with tropical diseases. His Clinical Textbook of Tropical Medicine, which he wrote in co-operation with Dr. A. Lichtenstein, has become an indispensable guide to the student of tropical diseases.

### Greater Recognition

The judgment of Prof. de Langren on the prophylactic and therapeutic effects of quinine on malaria is considered of the utmost importance.

At the Ninth Congress of the Far Eastern Association of Tro-

peal Medicine at Nanking Prof. de Langren remarked "It is of importance in judging quinine as a general remedy that in the course of the years it has won for itself in medical practice a range of indications far beyond that of mere malaria treatment."

"In more recent years quinine and the products derived from quinine received greater and greater recognition especially in heart and lung conditions."

And in his Clinical Textbook, which we mentioned above, he writes "It is our firm opinion that pregnant women who abort during an attack of malaria owe their miscarriages to the high temperature. They should therefore be given full doses of quinine. We have never seen the least objection to this in practice."

### Favourable Opinion

This extremely favourable opinion of the beneficial effects of quinine was corroborated by the Malaria Commission of the League of Nations, of which Prof. de Langren was a collaborator.

This Malaria Commission published a Report in which it recommends for the treatment of malaria a daily dose of 15 to 20 grains of quinine to be taken during 5 to 7 days and for the prevention of malaria a daily dose of 5 grains of quinine during the malarial season.

Prof. de Langren, who worked in the East since 1914 returned in 1935 to his own country where he was appointed professor at the University of Utrecht. In the same year he attended the Third International Congress of Tropical Medicine and Malaria in Amsterdam.

## TELEVISION STARTS IN GERMANY

### PRICE OF RECEIVING SETS REDUCED

LONDON, June 7 (T/Ocean).—Television will soon be general in Germany, according to a recent announcement, and those who wish to do so may participate under the same conditions as in the case of the ordinary radio.

Former television broadcasts were really more in the nature of research rather than of a type of general test, and now the premiere of general television is to follow throughout Germany.

The price of the receiving sets has been reduced so much, thanks to modern technical improvements, that it is reckoned there will be a large number of buyers. The public television stations of the Reichs Post Office will remain open, free of admission charge.

A comparison with the methods of the German Post Office with developments in England is instructive. Dr. Gerald Cook, director of British television, wishes to start a five year plan for the development of television.

He has laid down the principle that television must remain a "bachelor," that is to say, that it must preserve its independence from encroachment by the ordinary radio.

He further declares that the future of television is dependent upon the attitude of the Post Office, which has so far been very mean towards television, expending upon it only the ridiculous sum of £200,000 annually.

## BRITISH PHILOLOGIST IN GERMANY

LONDON, June 7 (T/Ocean).—Prof. Dover Wilson, the well-known English philologist and man of letters, recently delivered a lecture on Shakespeare's "Midsummer Night's Dream" in the Goethe Hall of Karkass House, headquarters of the Kaiser Wilhelm Society. His audience included members and their guests.

During a stay in Germany, Professor Wilson will have the opportunity of studying various arrangements in the social, scientific and political life of modern Germany.

## EMPEROR OF ANNAM AT RIVIERA

PARIS, June 8 (Reuters).—The Emperor of Annam has arrived in France and has been staying at the Riviera since June 1.

## PROTESTS AND MORE PROTESTS!

### BRITON WHO WAS SLAPPED BY JAPANESE

LONDON, June 8 (Reuters).—In the House of Commons yesterday, in reply to a question by Mr. F.J. Bellenger (Lab.), Mr. R.A. Butler, Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, made a statement regarding the incident in the Hongkong General Hospital on April 24 when Mr. A.D. Samson, Assistant Commissioner of the Municipal Police in Shanghai, was stated to have been slapped by a Japanese navy man following the fatal accident in which Mr. Bertram Lillie was killed.

### Protests Made

Mr. Butler said that the British Consul-General had addressed a protest to his Japanese colleague against the assault on Mr. Samson and he understood that similar action had been taken by the Shanghai Municipal Council.

Mr. Bellenger asked if steps could not be taken to protect British officers who for various reasons had to enter the hospital.

Mr. Butler: The reason for the protest was to try to stop incidents like this, happening in future. We will do all we can to protect British lives.

## SECRET PLANES FLY PAST 700 PEERS & M.P.S.

### Details Withheld At Special Display

About 700 members of both Houses of Parliament and other distinguished visitors on May 23 attended an air display arranged for their benefit at the R.A.F. station, Northolt, Middlesex.

The programme began shortly after 10 a.m. with a mass flight by 24 Wellington bombers, but the principal host, Sir Kingsley Wood, the Air Minister, was prevented by a Cabinet meeting from arriving until 1 o'clock.

One of the most interesting events was the bombing of a target on the aerodrome with practice bombs by two flights of Spitfires. This was followed by a dive bombing display. The target was only a few hundred yards from the visitors' enclosure, and the accuracy with which the pilots dropped their bombs was remarkable.

### Clockwork precision

The whole programme, which included formation flying on Hurricanes by R.A.F.V.R. pilots, aerobatics by three Gladiator fighters, a demonstration of the speed range of the Spitfire, and air drill by a squadron of Hurricanes, was performed with clockwork precision.

After the balloon demonstration which concluded the air display, great interest was aroused by the sudden appearance of two secret prototype aircraft.

The first of these, a silver coloured twin-engine monoplane, shot across the aerodrome at what appeared to be a terrific speed, even in comparison with that of a Spitfire.

## MASS SPIRITUAL MOVEMENT

### Marked Progress In Kwangtung

SHANGHAI, June 7 (In).—The Mass Spiritual Movement launched by Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek in Chungking is gathering momentum in Kwangtung under the direction of Gen. Li Han-yun, Chairman of the Kwangtung Provincial Government, who has made a good start first among civil servants and service men.

The essence of this movement is efficiency in public administration, honesty of character, filial piety and refusal to co-operate in any way with the enemy or puppets. All government employees of the Provincial Government have refrained from giving dinners for entertaining guests and work long hours in the interest of efficiency.

A spirit of revival is omnipresent in Kwangtung both among the populace and troops as a result of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek's Mass Spiritual Movement.

## BOY RAJA AND WIFE OF HIS HEADMASTER

### DIVORCE DECREE FOR HUSBAND

### Surprise Return To Bungalow

Raja Mohamed, nephew and adopted son of the former Sultan of Perak, was cited as co-respondent by Mr. Bernard Freedy, formerly headmaster of a school at Kuala Kangsar, Perak, who was granted a decree nisi in the Divorce Court on May 24.

Mr. Freedy, now an officer in the Education Department of the Federated Malay States, petitioned for divorce from Mrs. Lilian Josephine Freedy, on the ground of her adultery with Raja Mohamed, who was formerly a pupil at Mr. Freedy's school.

### The Judgment

Mr. Justice Hodson, giving judgment, said that in 1937 the husband was suffering from neurasthenia.

In 1932 Mrs. Freedy left her husband in Malaya and came home. Mr. Freedy said that she did so declaring that she intended to leave him for good.

He saw her on one or two occasions in 1935, when he was home on leave, and she rejoined him in Malaya in 1936.

They lived together, not in great harmony, in 1936 and the early part of 1937. During this time the wife's association with Raja Mohamed began.

### Suspicious Rumours

Raja Mohamed had been a pupil at the school while Mrs. Freedy was in England. He began to take the wife out riding, and Mr. Freedy's suspicions were aroused in March, 1937.

On March 31 the husband consulted his solicitors. Acting on their advice, the following day he asked Mrs. Freedy if she had misbehaved herself with Raja Mohamed. She replied that he was a "nice-mannered boy."

On the day the wife returned from Penang her husband went into hospital suffering from neurasthenia. He was a man who kept control of his feelings, and was no doubt suffering a very considerable strain.

That night the co-respondent stayed in Mr. Freedy's bungalow. By that time the co-respondent was in love with Mrs. Freedy to her knowledge, and she was, at any rate, fond of him. They were in constant association for the next few days.

### Forced Door Open

When Mr. Freedy returned home with a friend, a Mr. Walker, they went to the bedroom, and considerable force was used to open the door.

Mr. Freedy looked round and saw the co-respondent crouching near a dressing table.

The co-respondent's slippers were outside the door, and on seeing that he was discovered, he said "Sorry, Sir," and bolted as fast as he could, knocking over something in the hall.

In regard to Mrs. Freedy's conduct, Mr. Justice Hodson said that she did not, at the time, attempt to give her husband the explanation she had now given. She acted as if she had been caught in the act.

### Adultery Committed

"I feel satisfied beyond doubt that adultery has been committed," remarked Mr. Justice Hodson, who added that it was a case in which the husband could ask for the exercise of the court's discretion.

The judge said, "I see no reason why there should be any refusal of a divorce on that account." Mr. Justice Hodson, who exercised his discretion in favour of Mr. Freedy, granted him costs against the co-respondent.

The Japanese Consul-General in Tientsin, Mr. Shigenori Tashiro, is to be appointed Deputy Foreign Minister of the "Manchukuo" Government as soon as the present office for Foreign Affairs in Hsinking has been converted into a proper Ministry for Foreign Affairs. Mr. Tashiro's successor in Tientsin will be the present first Secretary of the Japanese Embassy in London Mr. Yoshio Muto. (T.O.)

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## ERNST TOLLER FOUND HANGED

### Tragedy Of German Author's Exile

NEW YORK, May 22.—Ernst Toller, the German author and playwright, who was exiled from Germany and deprived of his citizenship after Hitler came into power, committed suicide in a New York hotel to-day by hanging himself with the belt of his dressing gown.

His wife, Christiane Grautoff, the actress, who was one of Max Reinhardt's discoveries, is at present in Hollywood.

Toller's body was found early this afternoon by his secretary, Elsie Burroughs. The police, in recording the case as one of suicide, reported that no notes were found, but friends of Toller state that he had been depressed about events in Germany and had been in ill-health for some time.

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On London:—	
Telegraphic Transfer 1/8 35/32	
Bank Bills, on demand 1/8 31/32	
Credits 4 months sight 1/8 1/32	
On Shanghai:—	
On demand 179	
On Singapore:—	
On demand 58 7/8	
On Japan:—	
On demand 1 1/2	
On India:—	
Telegraphic Transfer 83 1/2	
and demand 83 1/2	
On New York:—	
Bank Bills, on demand 38 13/16	
Credits, 60 days sight 38 5/16	
On Batavia:—	
On demand 54	
On Paris:—	
Bank Bills, on demand 1087	
Credits 4 months sight 1189	
On Saigon:—	
On demand 108 1/4	
On Manila:—	
On demand 57 7/8	
On Bangkok:—	
On demand 150 3/8	
Sterling Notes:—	
Bank Buying Rate 1/2 31/32	
Bar Silver per oz. 20	

**Shanghai Exchange**

Shanghai, June 7 (Reuter).  
London, 0/7; New York, 131;  
Japan, 491; Paris, 548 and Hong-  
kong, 39.  
The closing market rates are:  
Sellers 6-3/4d, U.S. \$13-1/8. Buyers  
6-13/16, U.S. \$12-5/16.

**Merchant Rates**

Sterling, 0/7-1/4, 0/8-1/2.  
U.S. Dollars, \$14-1/8, \$12-5/8.

**New York Exchange**

New York, June 7 (Reuter).  
T.T. on London (Opening Rate).  
4.68-9/16.

**India Rupee Paper**

Bombay, June 7 (Reuter).  
Govt. 3 1/2 Rupees, 96-14-0.

**Calcutta Exchange**

Calcutta, June 7 (Reuter).  
T.T. on Japan, 78-3/4.

**London Exchange**

London, June 7 (BWS).  
Closing Mean Rates  
Paris, 176-47/64; New York, 4.68-  
17/32; Montreal, 4.69-1/16; Brus-  
sels, 27.52; Geneva, 20.75; Amster-  
dam, 8.794; Milan, 894; Berlin,  
11.68 and Buenos Aires, 20.20.  
Other rates were unchanged.

**SILVER MARKET****LONDON SILVER**

London, June 7 (Reuter).  
Silver—Little general speculative  
selling. Indian and American  
trade bought on the fall. Market  
steady. In the afternoon, the  
market was very quiet, with small  
buys at the fixed rate and sellers  
at 1/16 over.

Spot, 19-15/16d.  
Forward, 19-3/4d.

**NEW YORK SILVER**

New York, June 7 (Reuter).  
Official Price, 42-3/4.

**BOMBAY SILVER**

Bombay, June 7 (Reuter).  
Market—Steady. Offset 50 bars.  
Indian Mint Silver

Ready 52-11  
June 15 Settlement 52-11  
July 12 Settlement 52-10

**LONDON METALS  
EXCHANGE**

London, June 7 (Reuter).

**COPPER**

buyers sellers  
Standard, Cash 42-5/16 42-7/16  
Standard,  
3 months 42-5/8 42-11/16  
Electrolytic 43-1/2 43-3/4

**TIN**

Standard, Cash 225-3/4 226  
Standard,  
3 months 223-1/2 223-3/4

**LEAD**

Foreign,  
Official Price 14-3/8 14-7/16  
Foreign Official,  
3 months 14-9/16 14-5/8

**SPELTZ**

Ordinary,  
Official Price 14-1/8 14-3/16  
Ordinary, Official,  
3 months 14-5/16 14-7/16

Final Afternoon Transactions  
Tin, Standard, Cash, 225 1/2 sel-  
ler.  
Tin, Standard, 3 month, 223-  
1/2 bid and value.

**OIL COMPANIES  
IN MEXICO****New Move May  
Affect Negotiations**

MEXICO CITY, June 8 (Reuter).  
—Serious charges concerning the  
conduct of foreign oil companies  
since the expropriation of the oil  
fields were contained in a state-  
ment issued by the headquarters  
of the National Petroleum Ad-  
ministration.  
It is widely felt that this move  
is likely to have an unfavourable  
influence on the negotiations now  
proceeding between the companies  
and the Mexican Government.

**RESERVE BANK OF  
INDIA STATEMENT**

Calcutta, June 7 (Reuter).  
May 26 June 2

Notes in circulation (including Notes held in the Bank- ing Department)	20,743	20,768
Rupee Coin and Bul- lion in India	8,618	8,640
Gold Coin and Bul- lion in India	4,154	4,154
Securities (Indian Government)	3,733	3,733
Securities (British Government)	5,950	5,950

**LONDON GOLD**

London, June 7 (Reuter).  
Bar Gold, Fine per oz., 148/4.  
Dollar Parity, 1/2d, premium.

**NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE****QUOTATION**

STOCKS	Last Sale June 7	STOCKS	Last Sale June 7
Adams Express	73	Int. Tel. & Tel.	73
Allied Steel Co.	173	Johns Manville	76
Allied Stores	91	J. & Laughlin Steel	46
Allis Chalmers	36 1/2	Kennecott Copper	33 1/2
Amer. Can	95 1/2	Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass	47 1/2
Amer. & Foreign Power	23	Lockheed Aircraft	27 1/2
Amer. & Foreign	20 1/2	Loew's Inc.	44
Amer. Gas & Elec.	35 1/2	Manhattan Shirt Co.	12 1/2
Amer. Locomotive	18 1/2	Martin, Glen L.	33 1/2
Amer. Metals Co.	30 1/2	McKesson, Robbins	14 1/2
Amer. Radiator	12 1/2	Montgomery Ward	98 1/2
Amer. Rolling Mill	14 1/2	Nat. Dairy Products	51
Amer. S. & W. R. Co.	42 1/2	Nat. Distillers	26
Amer. Sugar Refs.	16 1/2	National Gypsum	11 1/2
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	16 1/2	National Lead	21 1/2
Amer. Tobacco "B"	84 1/2	Nat. Power & Light	7 1/2
Amer. Waterworks	10	National Steel Corp.	64 1/2
Anaconda Copper	25 1/2	Nat. Supply Corp.	8 1/2
Atchafalpa, T. & S. Fe.	29 1/2	New York Central	15 1/2
Auburn Motors	5 1/2	Niagara Hudson Power	6 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	13 1/2	N. American Aviation	15 1/2
Barber Asphalt Co.	13 1/2	North American Co.	22 1/2
Barnsdall Oil	14 1/2	Northern Pacific	8 1/2
Bendix Aviation	23 1/2	Pacific Gas & Elec.	32 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	58 1/2	Pacific Lighting	48 1/2
Bliss & Co.	9 1/2	Packard Motors	3 1/2
Bueing Airplane Co.	22 1/2	Paramount Pictures	9 1/2
Borg-Warner	24 1/2	Pennsylvania R.R.	18 1/2
Biggs Manufacturing	21 1/2	Phelps-Dodge	34 1/2
Brooklyn-Mhattan Trans.	11 1/2	Phillips Petroleum	34 1/2
B'klyn-Mhattan 88 cum pt.	11 1/2	Public Service of N.J.	37 1/2
Canadian Pacific Rwy.	42	Pullman Inc.	26 1/2
Case, J.I.	79 1/2	Pure Oil	79 1/2
Celanese	18 1/2	Radio Corp. of Am.	7 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	34 1/2	Republic Steel	6 1/2
Chrysler Corp.	70 1/2	Reynold Tobacco "B"	39 1/2
Columbia Gas & El.	6 1/2	Richfield Oil	8 1/2
Columbia 8% "A" pt.	88 1/2	Safeway Stores	43 1/2
Commercial	47 1/2	Schenley Distillers	14
Commonwealth & S. (ord.)	11	Schenley, 5 1/2 pld.	11
Cwealth & S. 6% cum pt.	59 1/2	Sears Roebuck	74 1/2
Consolidated Edison	31 1/2	Servco Aircraft	33
Consolidated Oil	8	Shell Union Oil	12 1/2
Continental Can	38	Secor-Vacuum Oil	12
Continental Oil	24	Southern Pacific	12 1/2
Corn Products	64	Southern Rly 55 pld.	22 1/2
Curtiss Wright (C.)	58	Sperry	43 1/2
Curtiss Wright "A"	28 1/2	Standard Brands	6 1/2
Deere & Co.	20 1/2	Standard Gas & Elec.	2 1/2
Distillers Corp. Seagrams	18 1/2	Standard Oil of California	27
Douglas Aircraft	69 1/2	Standard Oil of N.J.	44
Du Pont de Nemours	14 1/2	Stone & Webster	11 1/2
Eagle Picher Lead	9 1/2	Swift International	27 1/2
Eaton Mfg. Co.	22 1/2	Technicolor	16 1/2
Elec. Autolite	29 1/2	Texas Corp.	36 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share	8 1/2	Texas Gulf Sulphur	29 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share 55 pt.	65 1/2	Trans-America Co.	6 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share 58 pt.	65 1/2	20th Cent. Fox	—
Elec. Power & Light 57 pt.	23	20th Cent. Fox 51 pt.	—
Flintkote	21 1/2	Union Carbide & Carbon	78 1/2
Food Machinery Corp.	23 1/2	Union Pacific	97
Gen. American Trans.	49 1/2	United Aircraft	37 1/2
Gen. Electric	30 1/2	United Airlines Trans.	10 1/2
Gen. Motors	44 1/2	United Carpal	24
Gen. Railway Signal	17 1/2	United Gas Corp.	35 1/2
Gildden Co.	18 1/2	United Gas Improvement	13 1/2
Goodrich (B.F.)	18	U.S. Rubber	42 1/2
Goodrich 55 pt.	70 1/2	U.S. Rubber 55 pld.	109 1/2
Goodyear Tire & Co.	28 1/2	U.S. Steel	49 1/2
Great Northern Iron Ore	14 1/2	Vanadium	21 1/2
Great Northern Rly. pld.	22 1/2	Warner Bros. Pict.	5
Great Western Sugar	23 1/2	Westinghouse Elec.	100 1/2
Greyhound Corp.	19	Woodward Iron Cor.	17 1/2
Hecker Products	11 1/2	Chase National Bank	33 1/2
Homestake Mining	83 1/2	National City Bank	25 1/2
Industrial Rayon	21		
International Harvester	80 1/2		
Int. Nickel	49 1/2		

**DOW JONES AVERAGE**

1939	June 8, 1939	June 7, 1939	June 6, 1939	June 5, 1939	June 4, 1939
High	154.65	151.44	150.28	149.79	149.71
Low	151.44	148.20	147.13	146.71	146.71
Dow Jones Average	151.44	148.20	147.13	146.71	146.71
Industrial	34.23	34.15	34.15	34.15	34.15
Rail	30.21	30.21	30.21	30.21	30.21
Utilities	30.21	30.21	30.21	30.21	30.21
Chemical	30.21	30.21	30.21	30.21	30.21
Food	30.21	30.21	30.21	30.21	30.21
Textile	30.21	30.21	30.21	30.21	30.21
Commodity Index	30.21	30.21	30.21	30.21	30.21

**HONGKONG SHARE QUOTATIONS**

STOCK EXCHANGE	SHAREROCKERS' ASSOCIATION
Buyers	Sellers
WED., 7. JUNE.	WED., 7. JUNE.
H.K. Banks	H.K. Banks
Do. (Col. Reg.)	Do. (Col. Reg.)
Do. (Lon. Reg.)	Do. (Lon. Reg.)
Chartered Bank	Chartered Bank
Mercantile Bk. "A"	Mercantile Bk. "A"
Mercantile Bk. "C"	Mercantile Bk. "C"
Bank of East Asia	Bank of East Asia
N. C. & S. Bank	N. C. & S. Bank
Insurance	Insurance
Canton Insurance	Canton Insurance
Union Insurance	Union Insurance
Cedarwood	Cedarwood
H.K. Fire	H.K. Fire
Shipping	Shipping
Douglas	Douglas
Steamboats	Steamboats
Indo-China (Prod.)	Indo-China (Prod.)
Indo-China (Def.)	Indo-China (Def.)
Shells	Shells
Waterboats	Waterboats
Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.	Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.
H.K. & K. Wharves	H.K. & K. Wharves
Provident (new)	Provident (new)
H.K. & W. Docks	H.K. & W. Docks
Do. (new)	Do. (new)
Shanghai Docks & New Engineering & Mining	Shanghai Docks & New Engineering & Mining
Kailash	Kailash
H.K. Hotels	H.K. Hotels
H.K. Land	H.K. Land
Do. 4% Debentures	Do. 4% Debentures
Shanghai Land & H.K. Realities	Shanghai Land & H.K. Realities
Humphreys	Humphreys
Chinese Estates	Chinese Estates
Cotton Mills	Cotton Mills
Ewa (S.)	Ewa (S.)
Shai Cottons (S.)	Shai Cottons (S.)
Zong Sing (S.)	Zong Sing (S.)
Wing On Textiles (S.)	Wing On Textiles (S.)
Public Utilities	Public Utilities
Tramways	Tramways
Peak Tram (old)	Peak Tram (old)
Peak Tram (new)	Peak Tram (new)
Star Ferry	Star Ferry
Yantai Ferry	Yantai Ferry
Do. (new)	Do. (new)
China Lights (O)	China Lights (O)
China Lights (New)	China Lights (New)
China Lights Rte.	China Lights Rte.
H.K. Electric	H.K. Electric
Macao Electric	Macao Electric
Sandakan Light	Sandakan Light
Telephones (old)	Telephones (old)
Telephones (new)	Telephones (new)
Traction	Traction
Traction (new)	Traction (new)
Industrials	Industrials
Cald. Macg. (Ord.)	Cald. Macg. (Ord.)
Cald. Macg. (Prod.)	Cald. Macg. (Prod.)
Canton Iron	Canton Iron
Cementa	Cementa
Ropes	Ropes
Miscellaneous	Miscellaneous
Dairy Farm (Old)	Dairy Farm (Old)
Dairy Farm (New)	Dairy Farm (New)
Ch. E. Investments	Ch. E. Investments
Constructions (old)	Constructions (old)
Constructions (new)	Constructions (new)
Loan Corporation	Loan Corporation
Nanyang Tobacco	Nanyang Tobacco
Succinea	Succinea
Watsons	Watsons
Ch. G.S. 1925G & Bld.	Ch. G.S. 1925G & Bld.
H.K. Govt. 4% Loan	H.K. Govt. 4% Loan
H.K. Govt. 5% Loan	H.K. Govt. 5% Loan
H.K. Wing On	H.K. Wing On
Shai Wing On	Shai Wing On
Vibro Filling	Vibro Filling
Mannings Inv. (H.K.)	Mannings Inv. (H.K.)
Wm. Powell	Wm. Powell
*Sales to Shanghai	*Sales to Shanghai

**LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE****(REUTERS' SERVICE)**

The following quotations are the middle prices at the close of the market in London. All quotations are subject to confirmation and no responsibility is assumed for errors in transmission.

Wax Loan, 3½% (Red after 1932)	95½	Union Insurance	30½
Canton-Kloos Rly. 5%	18	Guia Kaimpong Rubber	19¼
1898 (Brit. Issue)	18	Allied Ironfounders	18½
Chinese 4½% Gold Loan	61½	Assd. & Elec. Industries	39½
Chinese 5% Gold Bonds	60	Austell Motors, ord.	32½
1925-47	60	Cable & Wireless, New	54½
Chin. 4½% Anglo-French Loan, 1908	50	Form. ord.	100
Chinese 5% Crisp Loan, 1912	32	E-A. Tob. (bearer)	7¼
Chinese 5% Recorp. Loan, 1913 (Ldn. Is.)	44	Cannell Laird, ord.	7¼
Chinese 5% Ster. Notes, 1925 (Vickers)	18	Mexican Eagle	8½
Chin. Imperial Rly. 5% Loan	60	Courtaulds	27½
Hohai Rly. 5%	19	Distillers	95½
Hukwang Rly. 5%, 1911	20	Dunlop Rubber	29
(German Issue)	19	Gen. Electric (England)	79
Eung Tai & U. Hai Rly. 5%	17½	Guinness (A) Son & Co.	112
Shai-N'king Rly. 5%	23	Hawker Siddeley Airc.	19½
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Brit. Stpd.)	18	Bristol Aeroplane	22½
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (German Stpd.)	18	Imperial Chemical Ind.	31½
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Brit. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	18	Imperial Tobacco	133½
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Ger. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	36½	Marks & Sp'cer "A" ord.	58½
Jap. 5% Ster. Loan, 1907	44½	Rolls Royce	111½
Jap. 5% Ster. Loan, 1924	44½	Leyland Motors	93½
Ger. 7% Ind. Loan, 1924	37½	Tate & Lyle	63½
Chartered Bank	8	Turner & Newall	80½
H.K. & Shai Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	88	United Steel	25½
H.K. & Shai Bank (Col. Reg.)	87	Smithwick Drop Forg.	15½
Chinese Eng. & Mining (bearer)	21½	Armstrong Stevens, ord.	8½
Chosen Corporation	5½	Fressed Steel, com.	13¼
Pekin Syndicate	5½	Vickers, ord.	19¼
Shai-N'king Const. Co.	25½	Woolworths	65½
Shai-N'king Const. Co.	25½	Anglo-Dutch	21½
Shai-N'king Const. Co.	25½	Ruh. Plant. Invest. Trust	28½
Shai-N'king Const. Co.	25½	Burma Corporation	8½
Shai-N'king Const. Co.	25½	Commonwealth Mining	1
Shai-N'king Const. Co.	25½	Marsman Investments	18½
Shai-N'king Const. Co.	25½	Randfontein Estates	40
Shai-N'king Const. Co.	25½	Western Holdings	13½
Shai-N'king Const. Co.	25½	Sub-Nigel	228½
Shai-N'king Const. Co.	25½	Tanami Gold Mining	44½
Shai-N'king Const. Co.	25½	Anglo-Iranian	81½
Shai-N'king Const. Co.	25½	Burmah	75
Shai-N'king Const. Co.	25½	Shell Trans. & Trad. (bearer)	45¼
Shai-N'king Const. Co.	25½	(Nominal)	

**PAYNE & CO.**  
**COMMODITY BROKERS**  
**STOCK EXCHANGE BUILDING**  
**HONGKONG****COMMODITY MARKET REVIEW****(FROM PAYNE & CO.)**

New York, June 7, 1939.

**SINGAPORE RUBBER**

	June 6	June 7	change
buyers	23-3/4	23-5/8	off 1/8
SELLERS	23-7/8	23-1/8	23-3/4
S P O T	23	23-1/4	23-1/8
JULY-SEPT	23	23-1/4	23-1/8
OCT-DEC	23	23-1/4	23-1/8

The market opened 1/8 of a cent lower for all deliveries as compared with Tuesday's closing rates.

Overnight cable-reports



## BANKS

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI  
BANKING CORPORATION

Authorized Capital.....\$50,000,000  
Issued & Fully Paid-Up \$20,000,000  
Reserve Funds:  
Sinking.....£ 6,500,000  
H.K. Currency Reserve \$10,000,000  
Reserve Liability of  
Proprietors.....\$20,000,000

Head Office:—HONG KONG

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Colombo Lyons Sourabaya  
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Fookchow Manila Patani  
Haiphong Muar Swatow  
Hankow (Johore) Tientsin  
Harbin Mukden Tokyo  
Hongkong New York Yokohama  
Kobe Peiping Yingtiao

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened in  
LOCAL CURRENCY and FIXED DEPOSITS  
received for one year or shorter  
periods in Local and other Curren-  
cies on terms which will be  
quoted on application.  
Also up to date SAFE DEPOSIT  
Boxes in various sizes To Let.  
Hong Kong, 6th June, 1939.

HONGKONG SAVINGS  
BANK

The Business of the above Bank  
is conducted by the HONGKONG &  
SHANGHAI BANKING CORP-  
ORATION. Rules may be obtained  
on application.  
For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI  
BANKING CORPORATION,  
V. M. GRAYBURN,  
Chief Manager.

Hong Kong, 25th Feb., 1939.

BANK OF EAST ASIA,  
LIMITED

Authorized Capital.....\$10,000,000.00  
Paid-Up Capital.....\$5,985,000.00  
Reserve and Undivided  
Profits.....\$2,883,932.01

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Chinese Government both at Home  
and abroad.SHOU J. OHEN,  
Manager.THE CHARTERED BANK OF  
INDIA, AUSTRALIA  
AND CHINA

Incorporated by Royal Charter, 1853

Paid-Up Capital.....£3,000,000  
Reserve Fund.....£3,000,000  
Reserve Liability of Pro-  
prietors.....£3,000,000

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38, Bishopsgate E.C.2.

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117/123, Leadenhall Street, E.C.3.

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CAYENNE LUMPUK SINGAPORE

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plete Foreign Banking Service in  
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This Bank is entirely owned by  
THE CHASE NATIONAL BANK,  
New York, with Resources over  
U.S.\$2,500,000,000.D. M. BIGGAR,  
Manager.YUNNAN'S TEA  
INDUSTRY

KUNMING, June 8 (Central).—

Under the direction of the Yunnan

office of the China Tea Corpora-  
tion efforts are being made to  
improve the tea industry of the  
province.Besides increasing the produc-  
tion of the article and extending  
its markets, the corporation is  
now planning to mark off 11 ha-  
den in the province, namely, Shun-  
ning, Kiangcheng, Kingku, Shang-  
kiang, Fohai, Mokiang, Hsiang,  
Takwan, Wenshan, Lantsang, and  
Chenyueh, as tea-producing cen-  
ters where modern methods of  
plantation will be applied and  
competent men be trained.In Shunning, Shangkiang, King-  
ku, Mienling, Lantsang, Kiang-  
cheng, Fohai and Chenyueh, tea  
factories will be established.In close collaboration with the  
China Tea Corporation is the  
China Tea Trading Company, Ltd.  
of Yunnan, a concern jointly or-  
ganized by the Yunnan Provincial  
Government and the Ministry of  
Economics.Two Organizations have  
jointly created a Yunnan Tea  
Industry Improving Committee  
specially charged with the im-  
provement duties.Yunnan is one of the largest  
tea-producing provinces in China.  
Tea is produced in 28 ha-ten scat-  
tered all over the province, averag-  
ing more than 70,000 piculs an-  
nually.In Fohai, in southern Yunnan  
near the French Indo-China  
border, alone, the annual output  
is about 10,000 piculs.Yunnan tea has been marketed  
mostly inside the country, especial-  
ly in Szechwan, Kweichow, Siliang  
and Tibet. Owing to communica-  
tion difficulties, only limited quan-  
tities are exported abroad.JAPAN'S INDUSTRIAL STRUCTURE  
CRUMBLING BENEATH  
WAR STRAINAccidents Last Year Exceeds  
Any Known Total

SHANGHAI, June 8 (Int'l).—  
Anti-war feelings in Japan and the  
possibility of being involved in a  
world war as an Axis partner of  
Germany and Italy are largely  
responsible for a recent series of  
accidents in which hundreds of  
lives were lost and vast  
property destroyed according to  
an unimpeached dispatch from  
Tokyo.

The Japanese are wondering,  
said this dispatch, if the nation's  
industrial structure is not crumbling  
beneath the weight of the "pro-  
tracted war in China."

Officials describe the accident  
list for 1938 and 1939 as "appal-  
ling."

The munitions and coal mining  
industries, both of which have  
been running at white heat since  
the war started, have been the  
scene of one disaster after

another. Investigations have in-  
dicated that machinery is wearing  
out, and that the emphasis on  
speed, instead of safety, is a large  
factor in the problem.

Official figures showed that  
there were 379 industrial ac-  
cidents, mostly fires, in 1938.  
This exceeds any known total  
by 66 per cent. It was thought  
to be an all-time high.

But 1939 is already well ahead  
in horror. In less than half a year,  
200 similar accidents have occurred  
84 per cent more than last year's  
supposed record.

The frequency of these disasters  
brought Japanese detectives im-  
mediately on the lookout for  
sabotage. If any evidence of it was  
discovered, it was never announced.

THREE CAUSES  
A police survey listed three  
general causes for the ever-  
darkening industrial record:

1. The use of unskilled workmen  
in the mines and munitions  
factories.

2. Over-hasty conversion of  
factories into munitions work-  
shops without installing proper safety  
devices.

3. The "dissolute" lives of work-  
men who are receiving unprece-  
dented wages from war. Japan lacks  
the industrial machinery to feed  
her guns on a scale as large, an-  
for a period as long, as the China  
War has demanded. Hence, hun-  
dreds of factories were made over.  
They have not been able to stand  
the wear and tear.

The broad basic reason, however,

CHINESE DOLLAR  
BREAKDecision To Allow  
Exchange To Find  
Natural Level

SHANGHAI, June 8 (Reuter).—

"The attempt to stabilize the  
Chinese National currency at 84 or  
84½ has been abandoned," declares  
the "Financial News," in dealing  
with the break in the Chinese  
dollar.

This paper says that the Chinese  
Stabilization Fund yesterday decid-  
ed to allow the exchange to find  
its natural level.

No effort will be made to peg  
the exchange again until there is  
good reason to believe that it has  
reached a level at which it can be  
easily defended.

The decision to allow the  
exchange fall was taken in view  
of the deterioration of China's  
trade balance and the recent big  
capital efflux. This caused heavy  
inroads into the \$5,000,000 re-  
serves of the Stabilization Fund,  
although there is no truth in the  
suggestions that these resources  
are nearly exhausted.

Morning Business  
SHANGHAI, June 8 (Reuter).—

Exchanges were firm and an  
amount of business was done this  
morning at intermediate rates  
between 7 1/8 and 6 1/2 for ster-  
ling.

From the lower level of 6 1/2, the  
market rose to 6 15/16 on rumours  
that the control banks were selling  
and there was a certain amount of  
profit-taking. Towards the close,  
buyers again appeared and sterling  
eased to 8 3/4 pence.

"Times" Comment  
LONDON, June 8 (Reuter).—Com-  
menting on the Chinese Stabiliza-  
tion Fund's withdrawal of support  
for the Chinese dollar at the rate  
of 8 1/4, "The Times" City Notes  
ridicules the rumours that the  
Fund has lost a great part of its  
sterling resources, but says that it  
has clearly been found that the  
demand for foreign exchange  
against dollars at the recent rate  
of 8 1/4 is too large to be met  
indefinitely and it seems that the  
Fund, rather than lower the rate  
by a fixed amount, decided to  
withdraw from the market tem-  
porarily and allow the rate to find  
its own level.

In due course, doubtless it will  
step in and fix a new peg at a  
lower rate and, in the meantime,  
presumably, it will operate as may  
be necessary in order to prevent  
any excessive violent fluctuation.

But in a case of a country like  
China the value of a definitely fixed  
rate is naturally considerable and  
it is likely that the peg will be  
reintroduced as soon as possible.

That the Fund is well in a po-  
sition to do that at the appropriate  
moments is clear from the official  
statement issued in Shanghai  
yesterday.

PHILIPPINE GOLD MINING  
QUOTATIONS  
Wednesday, June 8, 1939.

Centavos  
Antamoks.....24

Batong Bahay.....016

Benguet Consolidated.....11.40

Big Wedge.....25

Coco Grove.....36

Ibogan Mining.....23 1/2

Marbata Consolidated.....11 1/2

Mine Operations.....15 1/2

North Samarines.....9 1/2

Paracale Guinmatas.....17 1/2

San Maurice.....10 1/2

Soyoc Consolidated.....15 1/2

United Paracale.....4 1/2

Mindocoo.....11 1/2

Market:—Quiet

GOLD MINED  
FOR CHINA'S  
WAR CHEST

CHUNGKING, June 7 (Central).—  
With technical help from the  
National Resources Commission of  
the Ministry of Economic Affairs  
and various provincial authorities  
six gold-mining administrations  
have been organized in the pro-  
vinces of Siliang, Chinghai, Hunan,  
Szechwan, Honan and Kwangsi.  
Dredging these concerns is the  
Bureau of Gold Mining under the  
Ministry.

Most Chinese gold comes from  
private mining organizations. In  
1938, 56 new permits were granted  
to such enterprises, making a total  
of 101 gold-mining companies.  
There are also a number of indi-  
viduals and groups which have not  
troubled to ask for permits. About  
150,000 ounces of gold was mined  
by licensed miners last year.

Leading Provinces

Szechwan is one of the nation's  
leading gold-producing provinces.  
More than 200,000 of its people are  
mining and washing gold, especial-  
ly along the upper reaches of the  
Min and the Kialin rivers. With  
pick and pan, each gold-washer in  
northern Szechwan washes an  
average of two dollars worth of  
gold a day.

Aiding these gold-miners is the  
Chinese Industrial Co-operatives  
which has helped organize 12 gold  
co-operatives in southern Szechwan,  
and is planning to extend its service  
to miners in Szechwan, Hunan,  
and other provinces. It is hoped that the  
total output of gold in western  
China will be increased to 300,000  
ounces or \$63,000,000 worth before  
the end of the present year.

As that Japan's productive  
machinery has begun to crack  
under the strain.

## CONSIGNEES' NOTICES

## HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINE

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

THE S.S. "PREUSSEN"

having arrived from Hamburg and

Ports of call, Consignees of Cargo are

hereby notified that their goods are

being landed and placed at their risk

into the Hong Kong &amp; Kowloon Wharf

&amp; Godown Company's godowns at

Kowloon, where delivery may be

obtained as soon as the goods are

landed.

Optional cargo will not be landed

here, unless notice has been given 48

hours prior to vessel's arrival, but

carried on from port to port to the

final port of call to which the option

extends.

No claims will be admitted after the

Goods have left the Godowns, and all

goods remaining undelivered after the

15th June, 1939, will be subject to

rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged

Goods are to be left in the Godowns

where they will be examined on 10th

June, 1939, at 10 a.m. by our

Surveyors Messrs. Goddard and

Douglas.

To comply with the General Bonded

Warehouse Regulations consignees

must have a Revenue Officer in

attendance when "damaged" dutiable

goods are examined.

All claims must reach us before the

15th July, 1939, or they will not be

recognized.

No Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned

by JEBSEN & CO.,  
Agents

Hong Kong, 5th June, 1939. [450]

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

## OCEAN STEAM SHIP CO. LTD.

AND  
CHINA MUTUAL STEAM  
NAVIGATION CO. LTD.CONSIGNEES per Co.'s Vessel  
"DEUCLION"FROM UNITED KINGDOM  
VIA SINGAPORE

are hereby notified that their cargo

will be discharged into Holt's Wharf

Kowloon, where it will be at consignee's

risk and subject to terms and condi-  
tions of storage at Holt's Wharf. The  
Cargo will be ready for delivery from  
Godown on and after 6th June.

Optional cargo will not be landed

here, unless notice has been given prior

to steamer's arrival but carried on

from port to port to the final port of

call to which the option extends.

All broken, chafed, and damaged

goods are to be left in the Godowns

where they will be examined on any

Tuesdays and Fridays between the

hours of 10.45 a.m. and Noon within

the free storage period.

No claims will be admitted after the

Goods have left the steamer's Godown

and all goods remaining undelivered

after the 15th June, will be subject to

rent.

All claims against the Steamer must

be presented to the undersigned on or

before the 27th June, or they will not

be recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE  
Agents

6th June, 1939. [149]

## CONSIGNEES' NOTICES

## PRINCE LINE.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

FROM

NEW YORK, SAN FRANCISCO.

THE Motor Vessel

"CHINESE PRINCE"

having arrived from the above Ports

on 3rd instant, Consignees of Cargo are

hereby informed that their Goods are

being landed at their risk into the

Godowns of the Hong Kong &amp; Kowloon

Wharf and Godown Company, Limited,  
Kowloon, and stored at Consignee's risk  
and expense.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods

are to be left in the Godowns where

they will be examined on Friday,  
9th instant, 1939, at 10 A.M.

All Claims must be presented within

15 Days of the Vessel's arrival here,  
after which date they cannot







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VIA  
SHANGHAI, JAPAN PORTS  
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12 NOON  
FRIDAY, JUNE 9

TO MANILA  
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA June 15  
at 5.00 P.M.

Canadian Pacific

Union Bldg.  
Tel. 20752.



## N.Y.K. LINE

SAN FRANCISCO & LOS ANGELES via Honolulu.

ASAMA MARU ... 11th June  
TATUTA MARU ... 28th June

SEATTLE & VANCOUVER. (Starts from Kobe;  
Convenient connection from Hong Kong).

HEIAN MARU (from Kobe) 27th June

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu,  
Hilo, Los Angeles, Mexico, & Balboa to Valparaiso.

HEIYO MARU ... 19th June

NEW YORK via Panama.

NAKO MARU ... 17th June

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## SHIPPING

## DUE TO-DAY

City of Derby, British, 4,100 reg-  
istered tons, Capt. Ring, from  
Manila a.m. at Holt's Wharf—  
Bank Line. (Tel. 27791).

Cohte Verdi, Italian, 11,527 reg-  
istered tons, Capt. Valcini, from  
S'hai 8 a.m. at K'loon Wharf—Lloyd  
Triestino. (Tel. 32983).

Asia, Danish, 4,460 registered  
tons, from Japan and S'hai a.m.  
at buoy No. A1—East Asiatic & Co.  
(Tel. 34111).

Pres. Taft, American, 8,001 reg-  
istered tons, Capt. O. A. Pierson,  
from U.S.A., Honolulu and Japan  
noon at K'loon Wharf—A.P.L. (Tel.  
28171).

Pres. Polk, American, 6,304 reg-  
istered tons, Capt. C. W. Hawkins  
from U.S.A., Honolulu and Japan  
8 a.m. at K'loon Wharf—A.P.L. (Tel.  
28171).

Soudan, British, 3,477 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. D. L. Collings,  
from Europe & Straits 7 a.m. at K'loon  
Wharf—M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Benmaadhu, British, 5,607 reg-  
istered tons, Capt. Anderson, from  
Japan p.m. at buoy No. A2—W. R.  
Loxley & Co. (Tel. 34155).

Hang Sang, British, 1,358 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. T. Wilkinson,  
from S'hai and Swatow a.m. at  
West Point Wharf—J. M. & Co.  
(Tel. 30311).

ARRIVED  
YESTERDAY

Sikiang, French, 3,843 registered  
tons, Capt. Mignoni, from Hal-  
phong at K'loon Wharf—M. M.  
(Tel. 28651).

Delhi, Swedish, 2,608 registered  
tons, Capt. H. Hanell, from Kobe  
at buoy No. A8—Gilmann & Co.  
(Tel. 30966).

Tijbadak, Dutch, 4,801 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. J. Greaff, from Java  
& Manila at Stonecutters—J.C.J.  
Line. (Tel. 28015).

Aramis, French, 9,990 registered  
tons, Capt. J. Remies, from Japan  
and Shanghai at K'loon Wharf—  
M. M. (Tel. 28651).

Kwangtung, British, 1,572 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. S. M. Barling,  
from S'hai and Swatow at buoy  
No. B15—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Ranchi, British, 8,849 registered  
tons, Capt. Alder Smith, from Ja-  
pan and Shanghai at Kowloon  
Wharf—M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Changon, British, 2,235 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. L. N. Beer, from  
K. C. Wan at C. M. S. N. Wharf  
—Changon & Co. (Tel. 34181).

Chekiang, British, 1,313 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. D. Brothie, from  
Halphong at buoy No. B14—B. &  
S. (Tel. 30331).

Delagoa Maru, Japanese, from  
S'hai at buoy No. A1—N.Y.K. (Tel.  
32091).

Kaisyo Maru, Japanese, from  
S'hai at buoy No. B23—N.Y.K. (Tel.  
30291).

Claude Choppe, French, from  
Salgon at buoy No. B7—M. M. (Tel.  
28651).

Indra, British, 276 registered  
tons, Capt. O'Farrell, from Swatow  
at Hol On Wharf—Fook Pong &  
Co. (Tel. 24965).

Hannah Moller, British, 1,835 reg-  
istered tons, Capt. H. Scurr, from  
Swatow at Yaukati—Moller Line.  
(Tel. 25764).

Wing Wo, Portuguese, 495 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. I. d. de Lemos,  
from K. C. Wan at Salgon Whf.  
—Tal Fung & Co. (Tel. 20063).

## DUE TO-MORROW

Soochow, British, 1,594 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. J. Whyte, from  
S'hai and Swatow a.m. at buoy  
No. B7—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Holhow, British, 1,629 registered  
tons, Capt. John McLaren, from  
Tientsin & Swatow a.m. at buoy  
No. B7—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Asama Maru, Japanese, from  
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and S'hai  
a.m. at buoy No. A2—N.Y.K. (Tel.  
30291).

Laura Maerck, Danish, 3,876 reg-  
istered tons, Capt. Mikkelsen,  
from Manila a.m. at buoy No. A2  
—Jebson & Co. (Tel. 31205).

SAILING  
TO-MORROW

Wing Wo, Portuguese, 495 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. I. d. de Lemos,  
from Salgon Wharf for K.C. Wan  
4 p.m. — Tal Fung & Co. (Tel.  
20063).

Benmaadhu, British, 5,607 reg-  
istered tons, Capt. Anderson, from  
buoy No. A2 for London.  
Rotterdam, Antwerp, Hamburg &  
Leith p.m.—W. L. Loxley & Co.  
(Tel. 34155).

Chungking, British, 1,311 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. Orwin, from buoy  
No. A13 for Wenchow noon—B. &  
S. (Tel. 30331).

Soudan, British, 3,477 registered  
tons, Capt. D. L. Collings, from  
Kowloon Whf. for S'hai & Japan  
a.m.—M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Delhi, Swedish, 2,608 registered  
tons, Capt. H. Hanell, from buoy  
No. A8 for Manila and Cebu p.m.  
—Gilmann & Co. (Tel. 30966).

Tyndareus, British, 1,156 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. Kent, from buoy  
No. A9 for Victoria, Vancouver &  
Seattle a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Canton, French, 976 registered  
tons, Capt. G. Chariot, from buoy  
No. B12 for Halphong 4 p.m.—M.  
M. (Tel. 28651).

Ranchi, British, 8,849 registered  
tons, Capt. Alder Smith, from  
K'loon Wharf for Straits, Bombay  
Marseilles and London noon—M.  
M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Canton Maru, Japanese, 1,647  
regd. tons, Capt. Nishino, from O.  
S.K. Wharf for Formosa noon—  
O.S.K. (Tel. 28061).

Lyemmoon, British, 1,173 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. E. Holmes, from  
buoy No. B11 for Salgon p.m.—Wo  
Fat Sing. (Tel. 20063).

Changon, British, 2,235 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. L. N. Beer, from  
buoy No. B7 for K. C. Wan p.m.—  
Changon & Co. (Tel. 34181).

at Hol On Wharf—Fook Pong &  
Co. (Tel. 24965).

Hannah Moller, British, 1,835 reg-  
istered tons, Capt. H. Scurr, from  
Swatow at Yaukati—Moller Line.  
(Tel. 25764).

Wing Wo, Portuguese, 495 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. I. d. de Lemos,  
from K. C. Wan at Salgon Whf.  
—Tal Fung & Co. (Tel. 20063).

## SAILING TO-DAY

Shun Chih, British, 1,173 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. W. Lee, from  
buoy No. C1 for K. C. Wan 8 a.m.  
—Wo Fat Sing. (Tel. 20063).

Asia, Danish, 4,460 registered  
tons, from buoy No. A1 for S'hai  
Singapore, Port Said, Jaff  
Haifa, Rotterdam, Hamburg, Co-  
penhagen and Other Scandinavian  
and Baltic Ports p.m.—East Asia-  
tic & Co. (Tel. 34111).

Ting Sang, British, 1,232 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. H. Nielson, from  
buoy No. B3 for Swatow, S'hai,  
Chefoo, T'ain and T'iao 2 p.m.—  
J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Hong Khenk, British, 3,975 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. D. M. Hood,  
from buoy No. A4 for S'hai, Pe-  
nang & Rangoon 2 p.m.—Ho Hong  
& Co. (Tel. 26127).

Emp. of Canada, British, 12,811  
regd. tons, Capt. G. Gould, from  
K'loon Wharf for S'hai, Japan &  
Vancouver noon — C.P.S. (Tel.  
20752).

No Sang, British, 3,293 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. J. W. Pettigrew,  
from buoy No. A7 for S'hai, Pen-  
ang and Calcutta noon—J. M. &  
Co. (Tel. 30311).

Cohte Verde, Italian, 11,527 reg-  
istered tons, Capt. Valcini, from  
K'loon Wharf for Manila, Straits,  
Colombo, Bombay & Europe 8 p.m.  
—Lloyd Triestino. (Tel. 32983).

Tijbadak, Dutch, 4,801 registered  
tons, Capt. J. Knelling, from  
buoy No. A2 for Salgon, Batavia  
and Java 10 a.m.—J.C.J. Line. (Tel.  
28015).

Lossiebank, British, 3,412 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. Holbrook, from  
buoy No. A3 for New York, Boston,  
Philadelphia and Baltimore p.m.  
—Bank Line. (Tel. 27791).

Szechuen, British, 1,594 registered  
tons, Capt. A. Cook, from buoy No.  
B1 for Swatow and S'hai 4 p.m.  
B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Pres. Polk, American, 6,304 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. C. W. Hawkins,  
from K'loon Wharf for Manila,  
Straits, New York, Boston via Suez  
mid-night—A.P.L. (Tel. 28171).

Pres. Taft, American, 8,001 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. O. A. Pierson,  
from K'loon Wharf for Manila  
mid-night—A.P.L. (Tel. 28171).

Jean Moller, British, 1,377 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. F. L. Melwright,  
from buoy No. A5 for Swatow p.m.  
—Jebson & Co. (Tel. 24553).

Jessie Moller, British, 251 regis-  
tered tons, Capt. A. R. Smith, from  
Williamson Wharf for Swatow  
p.m.—Jebson & Co. (Tel. 24553).

SAILED  
YESTERDAY

Tinnu for Halphong

Tiava for S'hai

Hal Lee for S'hai

Rawalpindi for S'hai

Weyern for S'hai

Rays for Manila

Glengarry for S'hai

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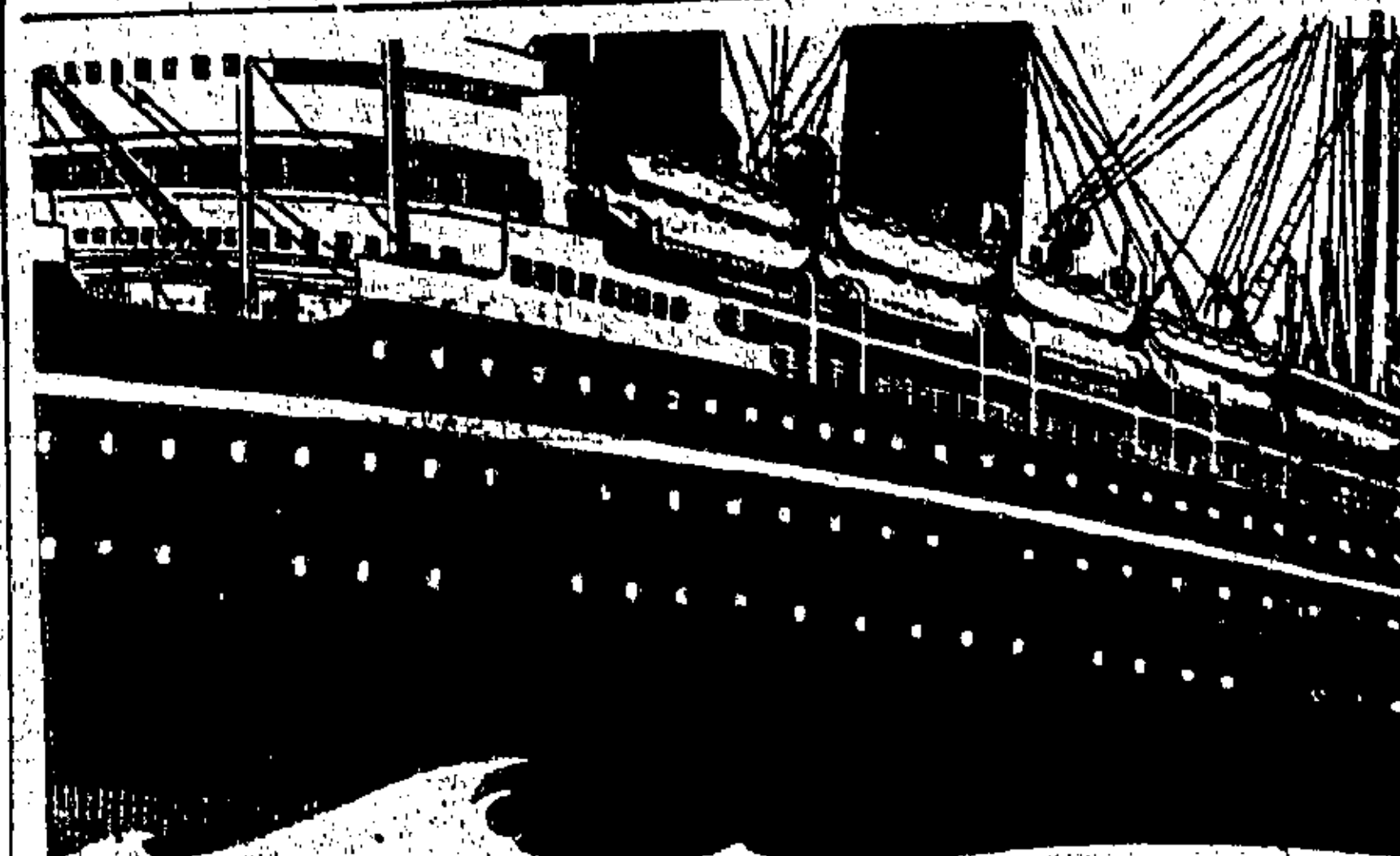
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BRANCHU	17,000	10th June Noon	Bombay, Marseilles & London
BEUTAN	6,000	17th June	B'bay, M'rs, Havre, L'don, Hull, H'g, R'dam, & A'werp
RANFURAI	17,000	24th June	Bombay, Marseilles & London
BEHAR	6,000	1st July	B'bay, M'rs, Havre, L'don, Hull, H'g, R'dam, & A'werp
<b>BRITISH INDIA - APCAR SAILINGS</b>			
RAWALPINDI	17,700	8th July	Pomray, Marseilles & London
CEITRAL	15,000	22nd July	do.
CORFU	14,500	8th Aug.	do.
CANTON	15,400	15th Aug.	do.
CARPAGE	14,200	22nd Sept.	do.
RAWALPINDI	17,000	16th Sept.	do.
CEITRAL	17,000	30th Sept.	Marseilles & London.
RAWALPINDI	17,000	14th Oct.	Marseilles & London.
CEITRAL	16,000	28th Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles & London

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## BRITISH INDIA - APCAR SAILINGS

Steamship	Tons	From Hongkong (About)	Destination
SHIRALA	8,000	17th June	Singapore, Port Swettenham
TILAWA	10,000	1st July	Penang, Rangoon & Calcutta
SANTHA	9,000	15th July	do.
TALMA	10,000	29th July	do.
SIRDHANA	10,000	12th Aug.	do.



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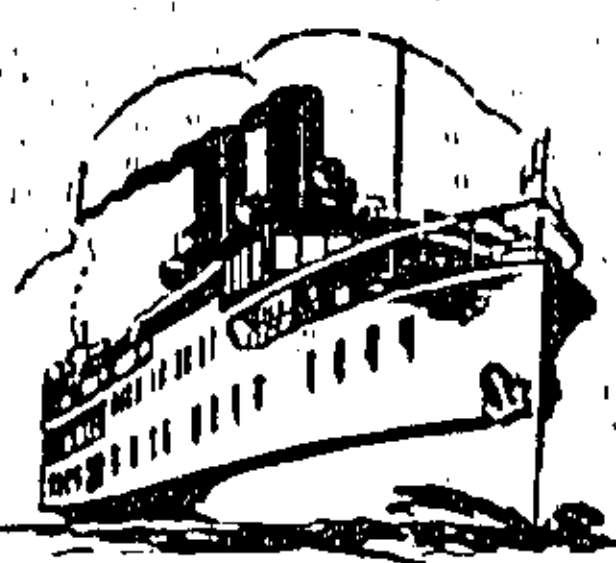
## EASTERN &amp; AUSTRALIAN SAILINGS

Steamship	Tons	From Hongkong (About)	Destination
NANKIN	7,000	30th June	Manila, Rabeul, Brisbane
BELORE	7,000	4th Aug.	Sydney, Melbourne & Hobart
TANDA	7,000	2nd Sept.	do.

## SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI &amp; JAPAN

Steamship	Tons	From Hongkong (About)	Destination
OBITAL	15,000	22nd June	Shanghai & Japan
CORFU	14,500	8th July	Shanghai & Japan
TALMA	10,000	8th July	Shanghai & Japan
CEITRAL	15,000	22nd July	Shanghai & Japan
CANTON	15,400	15th Aug.	Shanghai & Japan
CARPAGE	14,200	22nd Sept.	Shanghai & Japan
RAWALPINDI	17,000	16th Sept.	Shanghai & Japan
CEITRAL	17,000	30th Sept.	Shanghai & Japan
RAWALPINDI	17,000	14th Oct.	Shanghai & Japan
CEITRAL	16,000	28th Oct.	Shanghai & Japan



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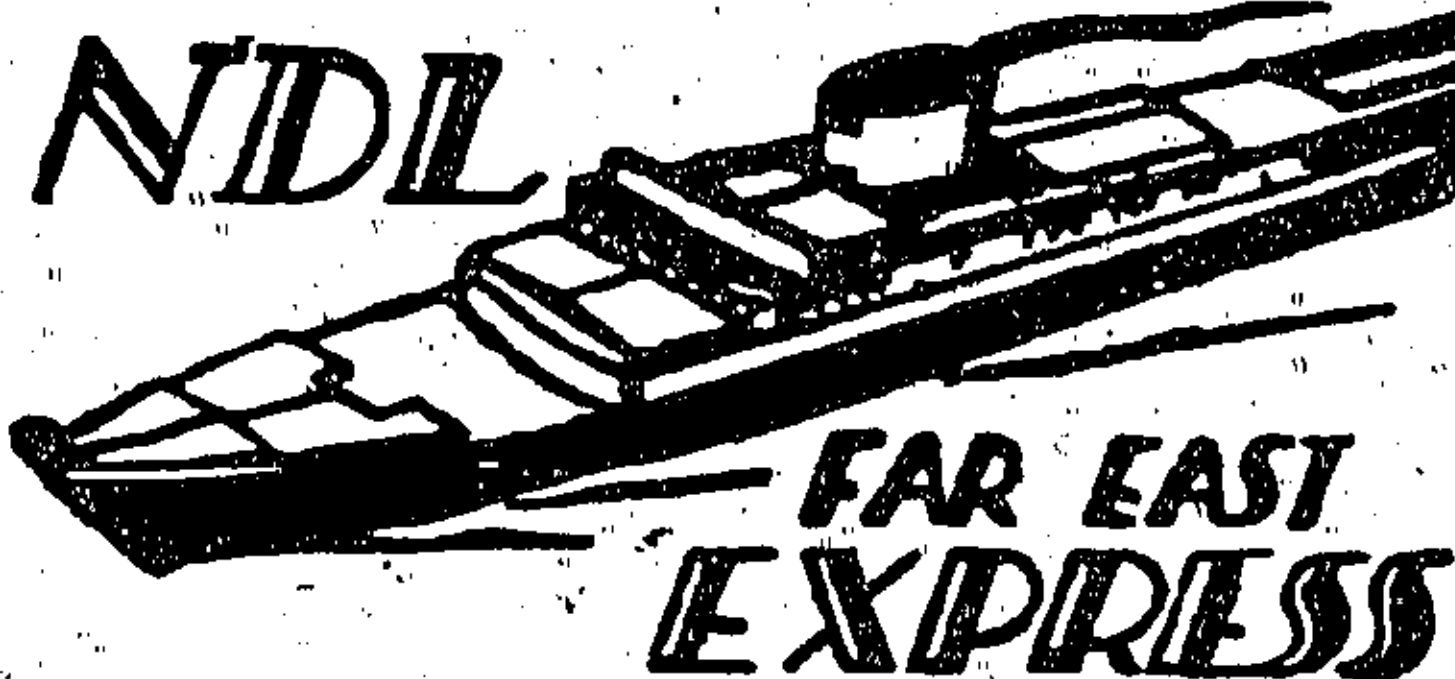
## SUNDAY EXCURSIONS

on 4th & 11th June, 1939.  
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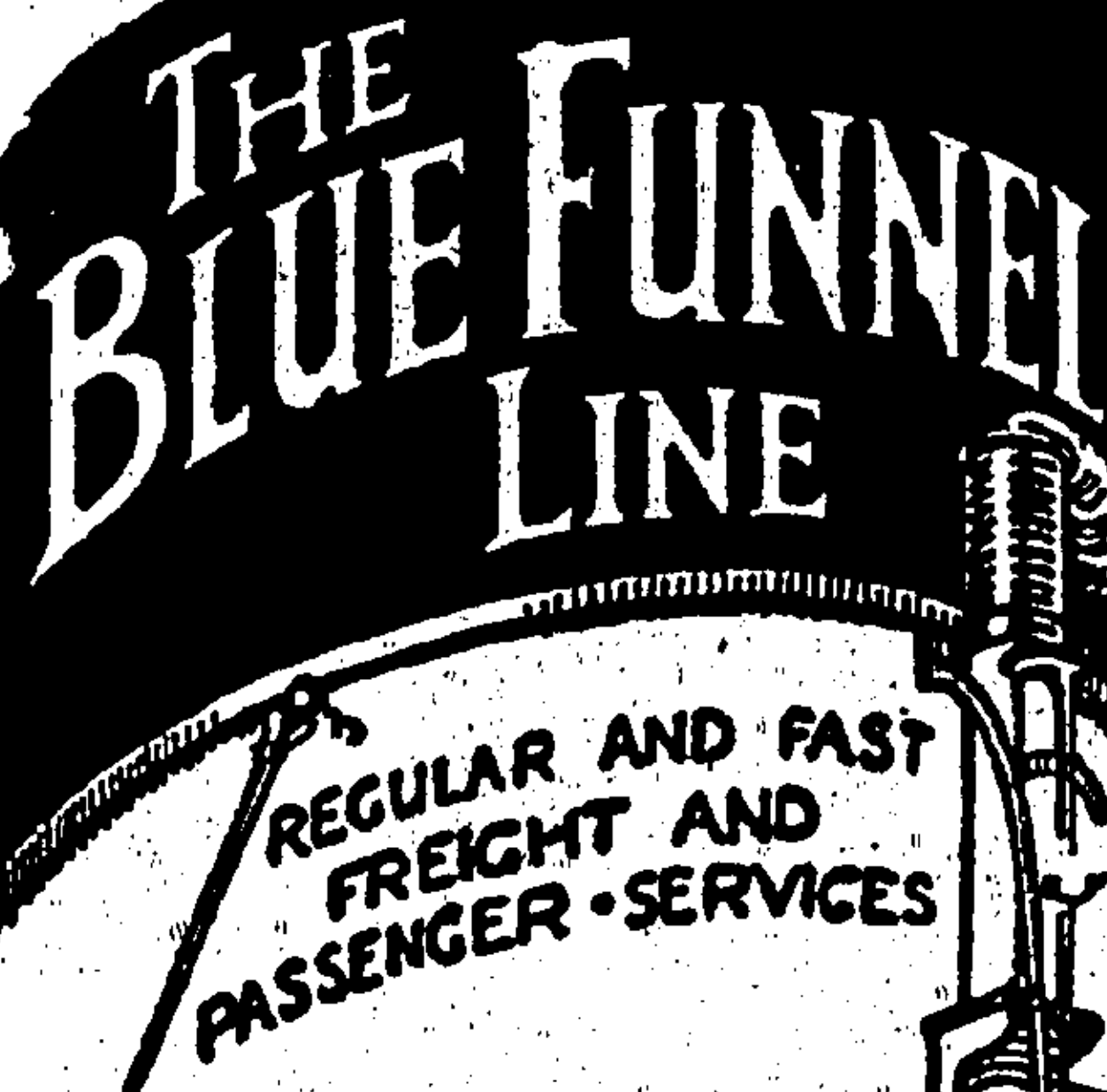


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	Gaussenau	Genoa, Barcelona, Southampton, R'ham, Bremen, Hamburg	July 27
Straits & Ceylon	Nedder	Manila, Saigon, S'pore, Belawan, Colombo	June 29
	Gaussenau	Singapore, Penang, Belawan, Colombo	July 27
Manila	Gaussenau	Manila	July 27
Shanghai & Japan	Gaussenau	Shanghai, Yokohama and Kobe	July 13
Shanghai, North China & Japan	Oder	Shanghai, Kobe, Osaka, Yokohama	June 23
	Marburg	Shanghai, Kobe, Osaka, Yokohama	July 13
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Mystery Surrounds Briton's  
Death At Pootung: Collapse Of  
Mr. Tinkler's Colleague At Mill

SHANGHAI, June 8 (Reuter).—Another Briton belonging to the same company as the late Mr. R. M. Tinkler, of the China Printing and Finishing Company, whose death followed an attack by Japanese bluejackets at Pootung, has died in mysterious circumstances in Shanghai.

In response to an urgent telephone call, an ambulance was sent to the Customs Jetty last night and picked up Mr. H. McAllister, aged 35, who is stated to have collapsed in the Company's mill at Pootung across the river.

The cause of his collapse is not yet known and he was pronounced dead on his arrival at the hospital.

British  
Must Be  
Wiped Out!"ASIA FOR ASIATICS  
ALONE"—JAPANESE  
SPOKESMAN

The British people in China must be completely wiped out and Asia made safe for Asiatics alone, said a Japanese spokesman at a recent mass meeting in Wuhu, according to a foreigner who had just returned from the lower Yangtze.

The Japanese spokesman was speaking at an anti-British meeting and was explaining Japan's desire to create a "New Order in East Asia."

Chinese civilians were compelled by the "puppet" government to take part in the lantern procession and to shout anti-British slogans.

## Wuhu Situation

Wuhu, said the foreign visitor, has been almost completely prostrated by 16 months of Japanese occupation. Formerly a prosperous clearing centre for such renowned products of Anhwei as tea and rice, this city, 55 miles up-river from Nanking, has lost its former metropolitan characteristics.

Practically all the big stores moved further inland prior to the Japanese approach in December, 1937, and in their stead now flourish opium dens, brothels, gambling houses and other such enterprises as thrive under Japanese control.

## MEDICAL SUPPLIES

Continued from Page 1

maintains a total of nearly 80 units, including curative, nursing, preventive and ambulance units, spread over the various fronts, and concentrated in areas where fighting is the heaviest.

In addition to medical supplies and funds, Dr. Wu has also received a number of ambulances donated by friends and sympathizers in America, British Malaya, Netherlands East Indies, Australia, and Europe. These too, have been sent to Dr. Lim's organization.

"CHAMPS" BEAT  
"BULL DOGS"

The first match in the first round of the Ewo League (3rd Tourney) was played off last evening at the Bowling Alleys between the "Champs" and the "Bull Dogs" which resulted in a win for the former by 116 pins.

Only one of the "Bull Dogs" team turned up, Bombardier Baker, who had to enlist the services of Messrs. Chas. Miller, F. R. Hollis and Gray to make up the team.

## Scores:

"Champs": Ernie Hearther 543, Dick Venezia 496, Doc Molken 485 and Gene Faggiano 420. Total, 1944.

"Bull Dogs": Chas. Miller 540, Hollis 478, Gray 429 and Baker 380. Total, 1828.

COUNTY CRICKET  
LATEST SCORES

LONDON, June 8. (Reuter).—Latest scores in the County cricket matches are as follows:—

Cambridge 411 for 8 dec. v. Army 21 for 1; Derby 158 and 179 for 8 v. Worcester 162; Surrey 236 v. Gloucester 289 for 4; Hampshire 434 v. Lancashire 132 for 3; Kent 471 v. Glamorgan 152 for 2; Northamptonshire 107 and 18 for 1 v. West Indies 382; Nottinghamshire 1 for 0 v. Essex 581 for 7 dec.; Oxford 251 v. Minor Counties 216 for 8; Somerset 354 v. Middlesex 152 for 5; Sussex 179 v. Warwickshire 217 and 51 for 3; Yorkshire 162 v. Leicester 346.

## PARTICULARLY BAD CASE

LONDON, June 8 (Reuter).—The Tinkler case is given prominence in most of the papers though there is no comment. It is regarded as a particularly bad case in official circles, but action in the matter awaits a Consular report from Shanghai.

ANOTHER  
JAPANESE  
THREATISOLATION  
OF TIENTSIN  
CONCESSIONDEMAND FOR FOUR  
ALLEGED CHINESE  
ASSASSINS

SHANGHAI, June 8 (Reuter).—It is authoritatively learned that the Japanese have presented a further ultimatum to the authorities of the British Concession in Tientsin.

The Japanese threaten to erect a barrier and to take other steps to completely isolate the Concession, unless the four Chinese, alleged to be involved in the assassination of Cheng Shi-kang, Commissioner of Customs in Tientsin, on April 9 last, are handed over within two days.

S. AMERICAN  
CHALLENGE IN  
GOLF TOURNEY

LEEDS, June 8 (Reuter).—British golfers failed to resist the South American challenge for leading place in the final of the qualifying round in the "Yorkshire Evening News" £75 tournament on the Temple Newsam course.

Emilio Serra, Uruguayan champion, heads the field with rounds of 69, 72, two strokes ahead of W. Spence, (Middleton Park) and J. H. Bussen (Formby).

Thirty-two players, including four South Americans, succeeded in qualifying with scores of over 149. Among the notable failures were Charles Whitcombe, ex-Ryder Cup captain, and Jose Jurado, of Argentina.



Left: Charles H. Bussen and his bride, formerly Miss Emma N. A. Tinkler, after their marriage in St. John's Cathedral yesterday afternoon. (Photo: Ming Yuen Studio)

Anti-British  
Agitation  
In Pootung

SHANGHAI, June 8 (Reuter).—The British Consul-General, Sir Herbert Phillips, called on the Japanese Consul-General this afternoon and requested that immediate measures be taken to fully protect British property in Pootung and to suppress anti-British agitation there.

Sir Herbert also requested that measures be taken to prevent intimidation of Chinese workers in British mills.

The British Consul-General reviewed the whole situation, particularly as it affects the China Printing and Finishing Company's works, and pointed out that that an armed agitator yesterday fired shots when two British employees tried to encourage striking millhands wishing to return to work.

CIVIL DEFENCE  
ENROLMENT

LONDON, June 8 (SWS).—The actual number of persons now voluntarily enrolled in Great Britain for various civil defence services is over 2,150,000.

The Chinese Ambassador in Berlin, Mr. Chen Chieh, arrived in Frankfurt yesterday for a visit lasting several days. A comprehensive programme of events has been arranged in his honour. The Ambassador, accompanied by his daughter and members of the Embassy, visited the China Institute to inspect its famous collection of Chinese art treasures.—(T.O.)

Two by-elections are rendered necessary by the elevation to peerage of Sir H. Cayer, Conservative member of Parliament for Portsmouth South, and of Captain Dixon, who represents East Belfast in the Commons.—(BWS)

"Wan Ching-ho, 18, amah, of No. 2, Kimberley Street, first floor, Kowloon, accidentally fell from the landing to the ground floor, and sustained serious injuries to the head. She was sent to the Kowloon Hospital.

## FOREIGN MAILS

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, 9th JUNE, 1939, 9.30 A.M.

Registered and Ordinary mail & Parcels (not insured) will be accepted for Canton and despatched as circumstances permit.

Letters and Postcards for Europe (except Great Britain and Eire) and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

## INWARD MAILS

From	Per	Due
Manila	City of Derby	9th June
U. S. A., Honolulu and Japan— (San Francisco date, 13th May)	Pres. Polk	9th June
U. S. A., Honolulu and Japan— (San Francisco date, 19th May)	Pres. Taft	9th June
Straits	Soudan	9th June
Shanghai	Conte Verde	9th June
Tientsin and Swatow	Soochow	10th June
U.S.A., Honolulu Japan & Shanghai (San Francisco date, 13th May)	Holhow	10th June
Manila	Asama Maru	10th June
Shanghai and Amoy	Laura Maersk	10th June
Shanghai and Amoy	Tainan	11th June
Japan	Tyngara	11th June
Haiphong	Gizyo Maru	11th June
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 7th June	Laos	11th June
Haiphong, Pakhoi and Fort Bayard	Imperial Airways Plane	12th June
Bangkok	Kingman	12th June
Straits	Kalgan	12th June
Shanghai	Calchah	12th June
Manila	Glenshiel	12th June
Shanghai	Nako Maru	12th June
Straits	Agamemnon	13th June
Air Mail by "Pan American Air- ways Direct Service"—San Fran- cisco date, 8th June	Cremer	13th June
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 10th June	Pan American Airways plane	14th June
Manila	Imperial Airways Plane	15th June
Japan	Shirah	15th June
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shang- hai (Vancouver B. C. date 27th May)	Emp. of Russia	15th June
Shanghai	Bhutan	15th June
Japan, Shanghai and Formosa	Haruna Maru	16th June
Shanghai	Gertrude Maersk	16th June
Rabaul	Priderun	16th June

## OUTWARD MAILS

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For	Per	Date and Time
FRIDAY		Fri. 9th
Parcels and Papers only for Calcutta	Hosang	Pap. 8.30 AM
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America via Vancouver B. C. & (Parcels & Papers only for Canada)—due Vancouver B. C. 28th June	Emp. of Canada	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Par. 8th Noon Reg. 9th 8.15 AM Ord. 9th 10.00 AM
Parcels only for Rangoon	Hong Keng	12.30 PM
Swatow	Tingsang	12.30 PM
Tientsin	Nanchang	12.30 PM
Swatow	Sechuen	2.30 PM
Manila and Brindisi—due Brindisi, 2nd July	Conte Verde	4.30 PM
Air Mail for Indo-China, Iran, and France (Paris and Northern Provinces only) by the "Air France Airways Direct Service"— due Paris 16th June	Air France	K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Owl. 6.30 PM
Shanghai	France	G.P.O. R-g 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
Manila	Soudan	7.00 PM
	Pres. Taft	7.00 PM
SATURDAY		Sat. 10th
Dairen	Tyndareus	9.30 AM
Air Mail for "K. L. M. Airways Direct Service"—due Amsterdam, 20th June	Ranchi	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 9.30 AM Ord. 10.00 AM
Straits, Ceylon, India, E. and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt, Malta and Europe via Marseilles—due Mar- seilles, 7th July	Ranchi	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Par. 8th 6.00 PM Reg. 10th 9.45 AM Ord. 10th 10.30 AM
Formosa	Canton Maru	10.30 AM
Haiphong	Canton	3.00 PM
Amoy	Tjibadak	5.00 PM
Manila, Australia and New Zea- land via Thursday Island—due Thursday Island, 23rd June	Changte	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Par. 4.00 PM Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu U.S.A., Central and South America via San Francisco and (Papers only for Canada)—due San Francisco 3rd July	Asama Maru	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
SUNDAY		Sun. 11th
Amoy	Anhui	9.00 AM
Haiphong	Chekiang	9.00 AM
Swatow	Suiyang	9.00 AM
MONDAY		Mon. 12th
Tientsin	Benlomond	10.30 AM
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London, 19th June	Imperial Airways Plane	K.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
Airmail for Malaya, Java and Aus- tralia by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due Sydney, 19th June	Imperial Airways Plane	G.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM
TUESDAY		Tue. 13th
Swatow	Holhow	1.30 PM
Fort Bayard and Pakhoi	Soochow	5.00 PM
Parcels only for Straits, Penang, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Marseilles and London—due London, 20th July	Agamemnon	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Parcels 5.00 PM

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